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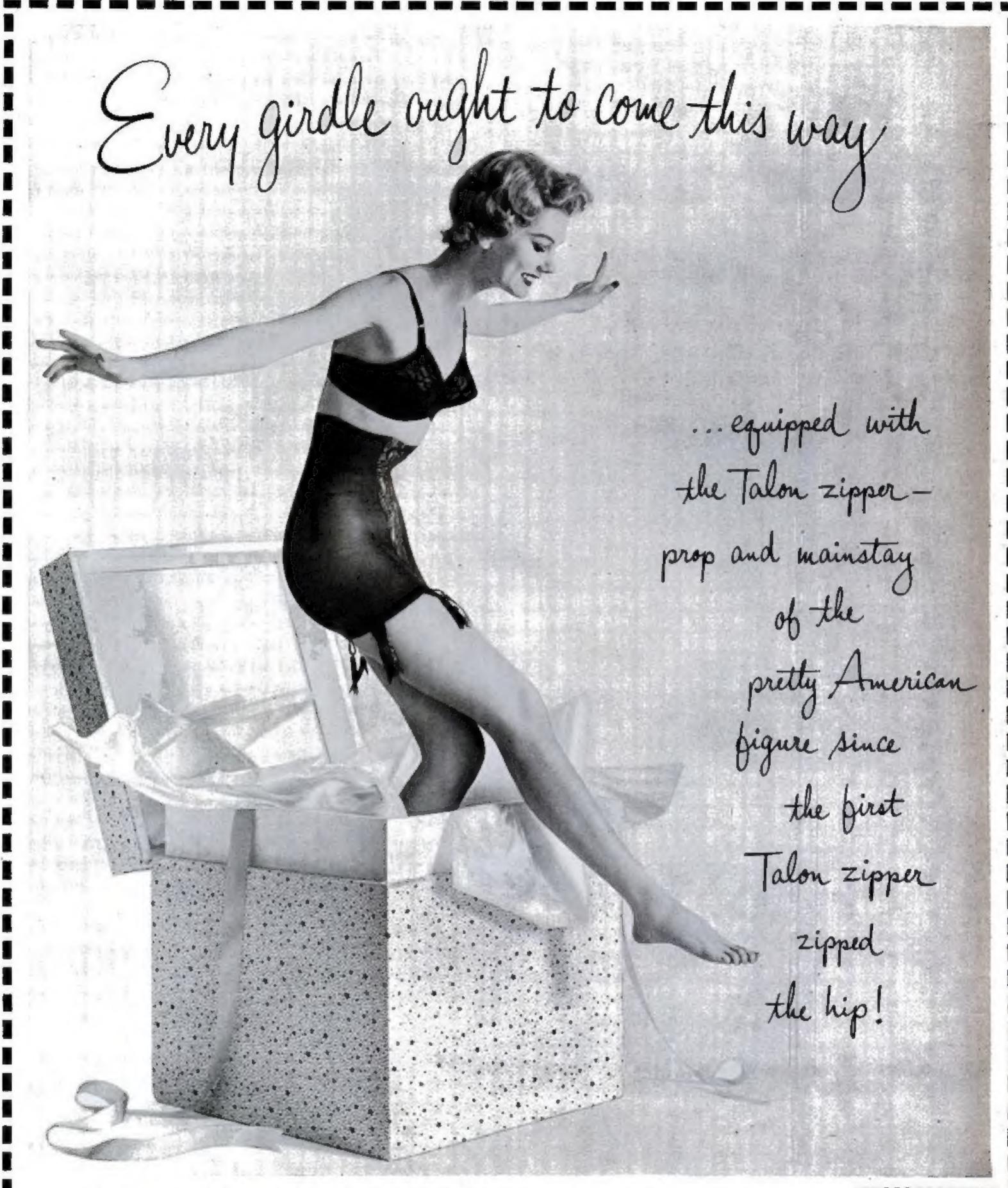
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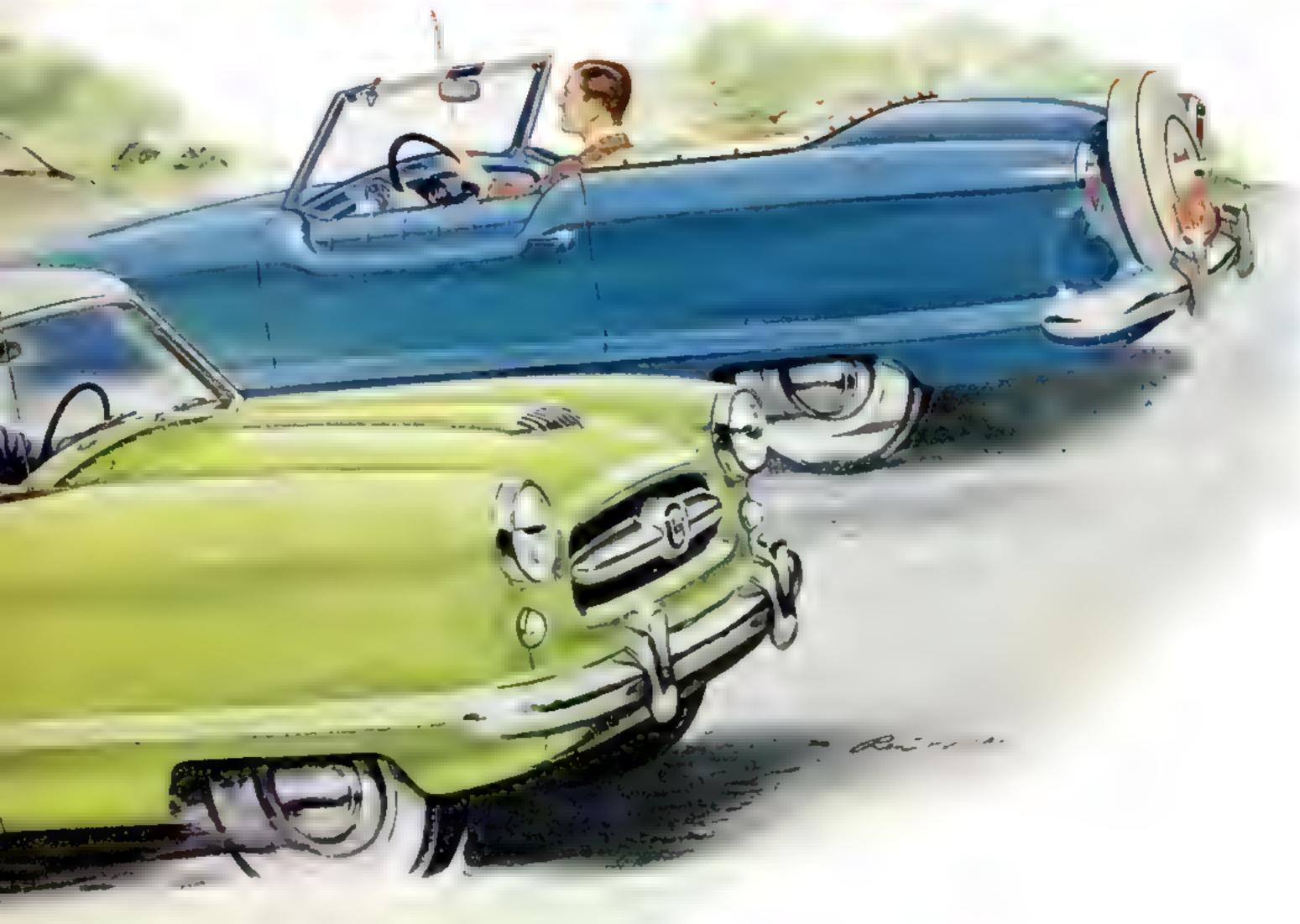
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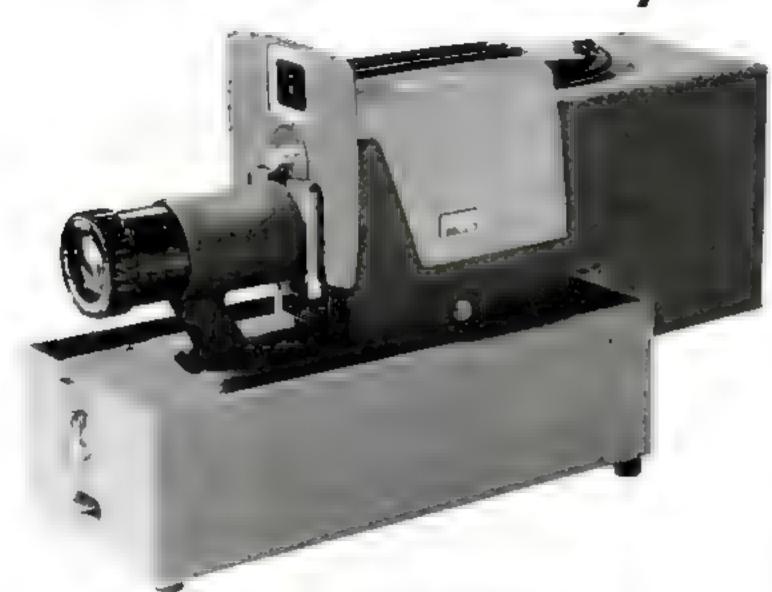
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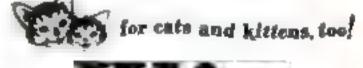
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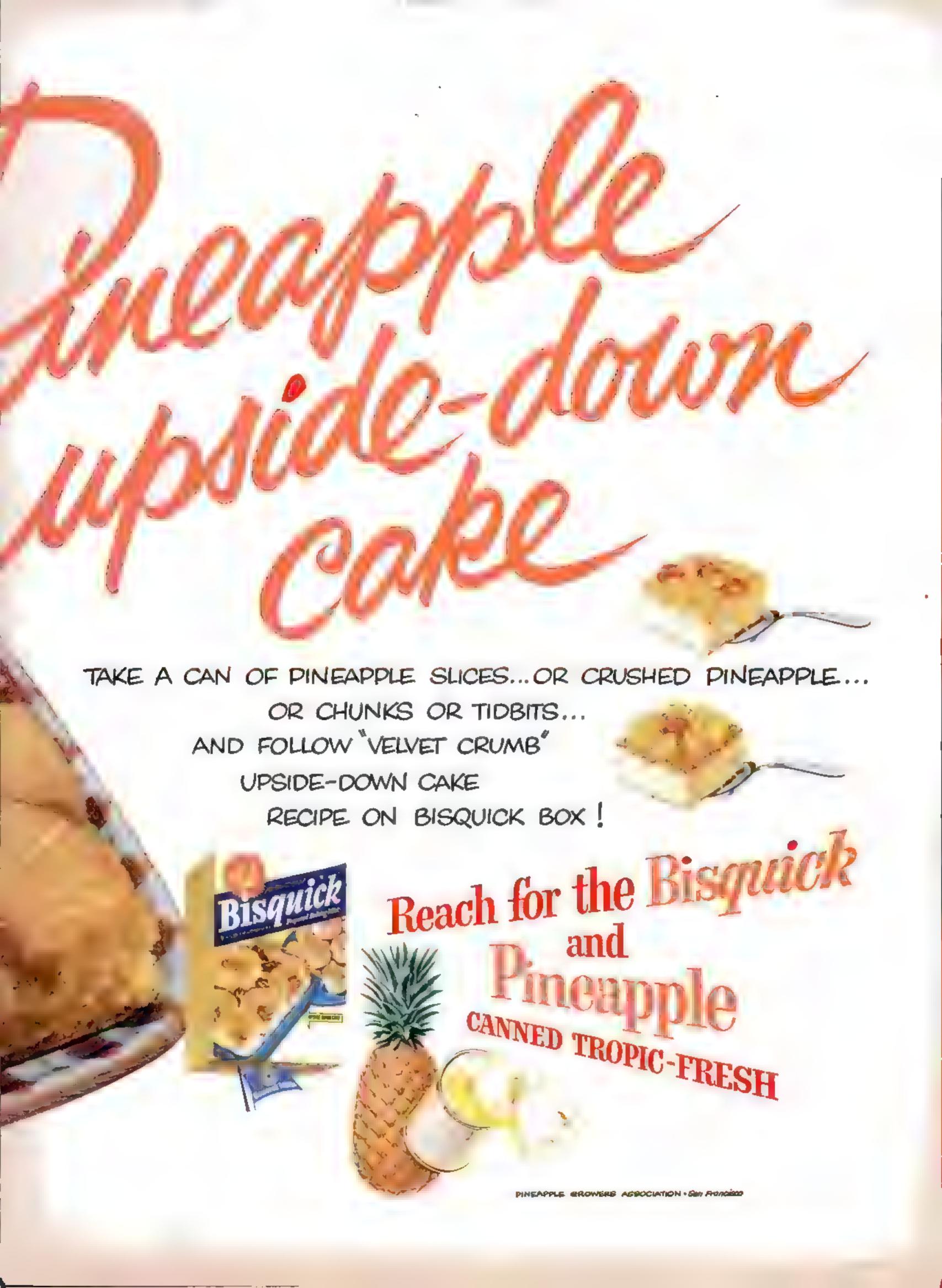






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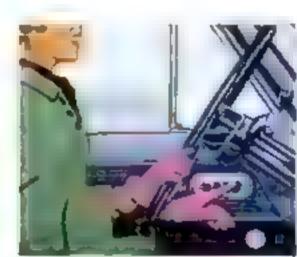
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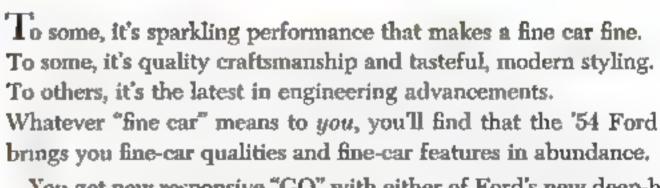
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LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

COLONEL SCHWABLE

Sirs:

I cannot recall any other single picture as moving as yours of Colonel Frank Schwable ("The Marine Corps' Pride on Trial," Lirz, March 1). The story told by his face is unmistakable....

WILLIAM R. ACKOB JR.

West Lafayette, Ind.

Sire:
... Having some knowledge of how much the human nervous system can take, I feel Colonel Schwable's confession is no "blotch of mud on a Marine's shoe." What he has gone through, to a point where even his proved courage and integrity were broken, gives the Marines a colonel

of whom they can be deeply proud.

A. H. Basss, M.D.

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... As a former PW in Japanese prison camps, I feel Colonel Schwable was telling the truth when he said he was reduced to the level of an animal. There were times after a beating when

There were times after a beating when I would have confessed to almost anything to atop the torture. Colonel Schwable should be given a public apology.

RUSSELL E. STEPHENS San Gabriel, Calif.

BOYS' PREP SCHOOL

BOAR, LKEL SCHO

Thank you very much for your article on Hotchkiss ("Boye" Prep School," Life, March 1), I think you cleared up many misconceptions ... and lifted the cloud of disduin which formerly hung over the American prep achool.

RICHARD D. HARDY

Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Sirn: Though I applaud Hotchkies' real academic dedication, the stern chmate of its classrooms seems to me to confuse discipline with learning. I commend to your readers the Harkness plan (classes averaging 12 boys seated around a table with a teacher leading discussion) at the Phillips Exeter Academy in New Hampshire. Exeter's 750 boys, "contemplating greatness" with the help of 90 teachers, are divided into classes which are more conferences than lectures. They permit far more individual attention.

MILDRED FARLEY

CONSTANCE MISSAL

Sira:

New York, N.Y.

Although the Pierpont Morgan Labrary labels the Constance Missal ("A Predecessor of the Gutenberg Bible," Lirz, March 1) "the oldest typographic book," printing was first developed beyond all doubt by the Chinese. There is good reason to believe they used wooden block printing in the early Eighth Century to help propagate Buddhism, In 770 A.D. a million copies of portions of

Buddhist scripture, the world's oldest printing, were printed in Japan, and examples still survive (below). The world's oldest printed book, discovered in 1907, is a Chinese edition of a Buddhist text dated 868 A.D., which has been in the British Museum for many years. . . .

C. S. GOODBICH

Berkeley, Calif.

■ The scripture below was printed from a carved wooden block. Around 1040 the Chinese invented crude movable type made of clay. Gutenberg and other Renaissance printers later developed more uniform metal type.—ED

PIN-UP MONROE

Sires

Two pages of Marilya Monroe ("The Pin-Up Takes Shape," Life, March 1) in a too-tight dress posturing before GIs!... Did any soldiers resent the strong aroms of the act enough to decide they'd rather play checkers or go for a walk—in another direction?

MRS. J BROADUS HAYNES Scattle, Wash.

◆ Hanson Baldwin, New York Times mulitary commentator, wrote indignantly that they "behaved like bobby-soxers in Times Square, not like soldiers proud of their uniform... Sweater girls ... have nothing to do with military morale ... are not the stuff of discipline and pride and toughness. ... " For another viewpoint, see below.—ED.

Sira

fighting to training and never-ending inspections in the cold Manchurian winds, our morale has ehbed. Miss Monroe's visit was the World Series, the Fourth of July and the Mardi Gras rolled in one. Not many of the famous have come over to see us. It took The Blonde, who looked so fresh, healthy and American, to raise our spirits and make us feel like men again. God bless her.

LIEUT. JAMES F. ORLAY Second U.S. Infantry Division Korea

EDITORIAL

Sirs:

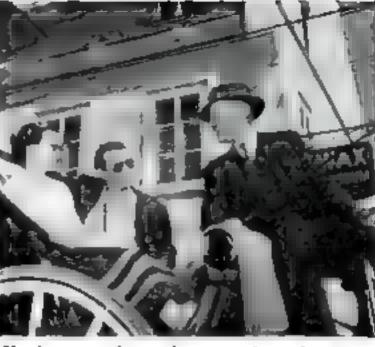
How dare you suggest in ."Full Employment Means Full Mobility" (LIFE, March 1) that I would stay in Port Townsend at federal expense? Why must you play politics with a letter I wrote the President in all sincerity and which he answered in like manner? I did not ask for anything that would cause the government extra expense. The President did not offer any such help. Port Townsend's economy was built around military forts that had been in the area since the mid-1800s. We only asked whether the government could continue utilizing them, now that they have been deactivated, in some other way We are not asking for "random rescues and arbitrary blessings."

I resent your using my words out



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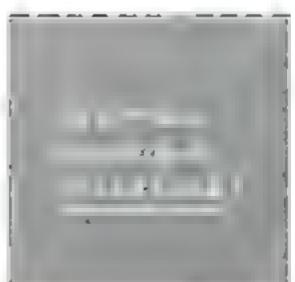
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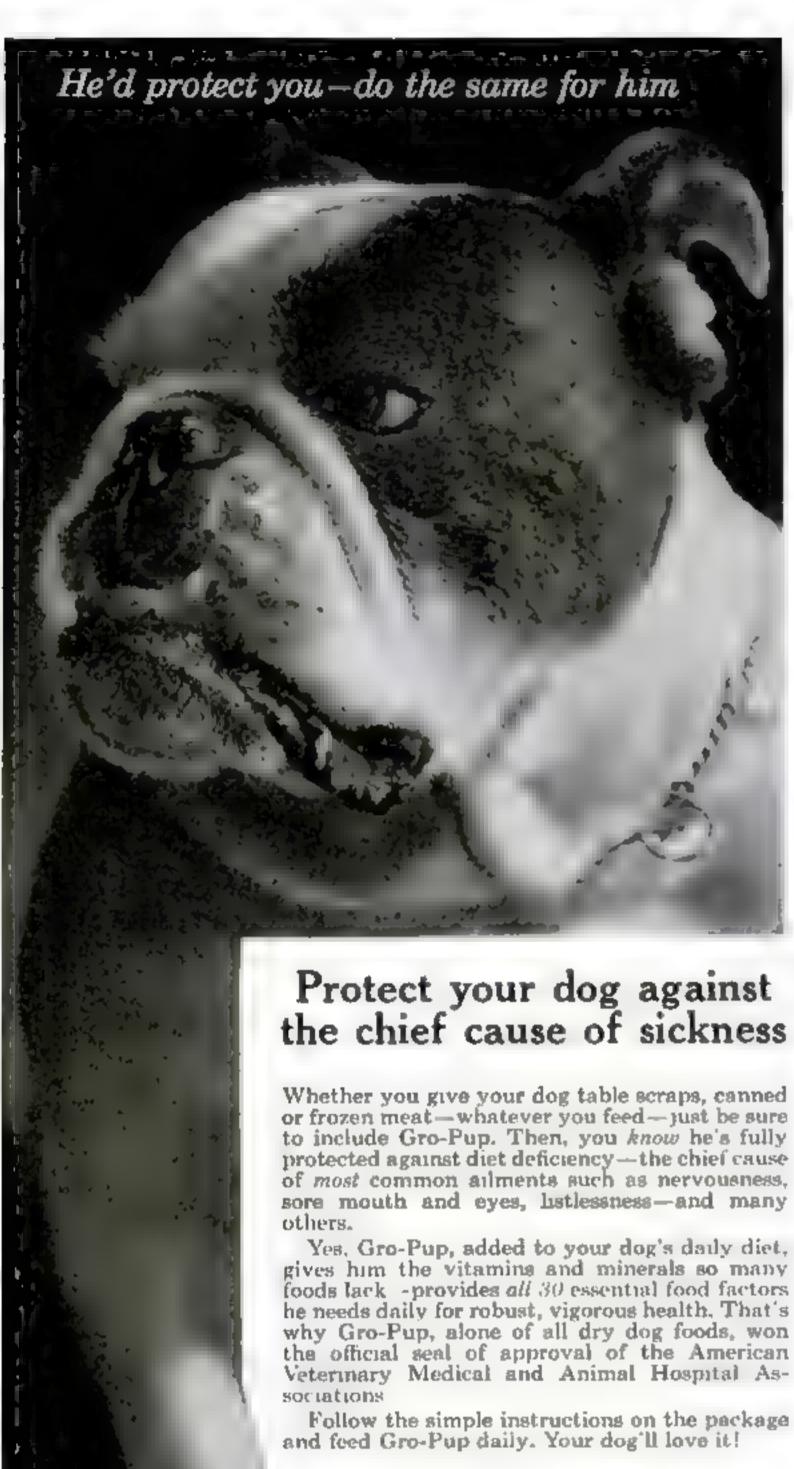
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of context about the salmon I have caught, the fishing boat I lost, my heart torn with grief at the thought of leaving, as if I were begging someone to save me. You might have quoted the rest of the letter about how Port Townsend invested \$2.3 million in military bousing units because we were told this was the only way the military would stay here, and that less than a year later the military moved out. We think we carried out our end of the bargam. . . .

MRS. JEAN FOSTER

Port Townsend, Wash

· Mrs. Foster's letter to the President was indeed an appeal for justice as well as mercy. "Must we be forced to feel that a promise by the government is not . . . a promise . . . at all?" Life did not mean to imply that Mrs. Foster was asking direct federal and for herself. The fact remuins that she appealed for special aid, concluding, "Give us something, anything, to bring back the people that we lost when Fort Worden was deactivated. That is all we ask for, we will do the rest."-ED.

SEPTUAGENARIAN SKIER

Sirs:

I liked your very interesting article about an oldtime Army sergeant learning to ski ("Never Too Old," LIFE, March 1), But though your Mr. Fred Nash is certainly impressively



agile. I think he might meet his match in John Angerhauer, 71 (above), who learned to sky recently in the annual Deseret News and Telegram Free Skt School.

PETE EIDEN

Salt Lake City, Utah

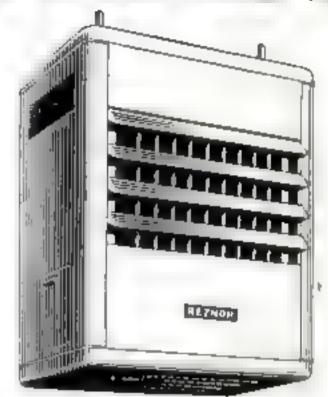
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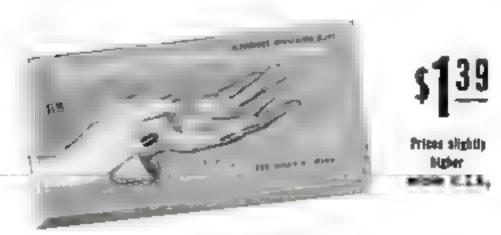
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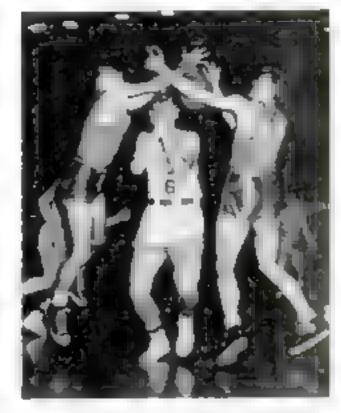
LONDON BRIDGE

Sirs:

While the High Point-Elon boys are doing a good job of London Bridge in your fine basketball action picture ("Big Boya Play London Bridge," Life, March 1), they don't seem quite as "finesseful" as Louisville's Chuck Noble (No. 16) and two opposing Georgetown College players did in a recent game (below).

Les Moise

Louisville, Ky.



LOUISVILLE LONDON BRIDGE

RITA MORENO

Sira:

The unusual desk ornament, the hand grenade in the first three pictures of Miss Moreno's saure ("Saurist of Sex," Life, March 1), is missing in the fourth. Was it removed when she turned the heat on full? Lieft, (J.G.) P.W. Hanson, USNR Norfolk, Va.

Sirs

... Is she biding it for her own protection, or is the interviewer going to pull the pin and end it all?

T/Scy, Jack Hood

Chandler, Ariz.

Out of curiosity, the photographer's assistant picked up the hand grenade, forgot to replace it.—ED.

Sira:

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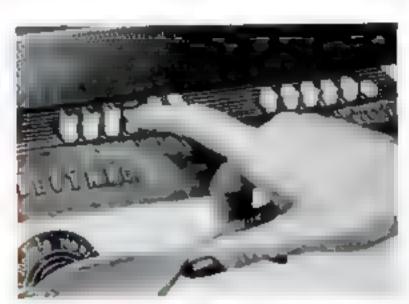
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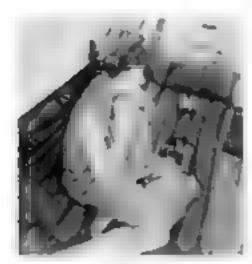


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HUMAN RASCALITY MAKES PENGUINS LOOK GOOD



DEAN, LEBENTHAL OF "LIFE" AT KISSING BEE



ON SECRETARIAL YACHT

Anatole France, whose bitter satire Penguin Island relates the story of man's descent (for the worse) from penguins, would have been delighted with LIFE's cover this week and the pictures on pages 175 through 179. He would be further pleased to see his prejudices confirmed by some cases of human villainy which make penguins look good, as reported elsewhere in the issue.

In Iran, for example, an ex-wrestler dubbed "The Brainless One" (pp. 38-40) gives a rascally exhibition of how he influences the voters. In Morocco a now dead assassin named Ahmed ben Ali ben Mohammed tried to blow up the sultan and almost (p. 33) made it. In Egypt, Actor Gregory Ratoff is playing a new-style movie villain, a kingly scoundrel (pp. 89, 90). And across the Mediterranean a storybook villain called Marchese Ugo Montagna is the center of a scandal (pp. 36, 37)that may shake the Italian government.

But we can assure the shade of M. France that there are happy doings and endings too. One was the wedding of Joan Benny (p. 53), which wound up in a kissing bee with LIFE's representatives in benign attendance (left, top). And the chivalry of the Secretary of State provided a felicitous photographic tale. While guestpiloting the yacht of a prominent Venezuelan, Mr. Dulles saw that hardworking Photographer Lisa Larsen (left, bottom) was beginning to look dangerously green. Gallantly he decided to bring the 116-foot Roraima about to stop the pitching and rolling that was upsetting Miss Larsen. He shouted "Hard alee!" and as he did so a wave broke over the yawl's gunwales and drenched everyone. Reporter Jerry Hannifin, who was solicitously standing by, found himself suddenly thrust aside. Miss Larsen yelled, "I gotta take pictures!" and made an exclusive yachting photograph of Secretary Dulles (p. 29).



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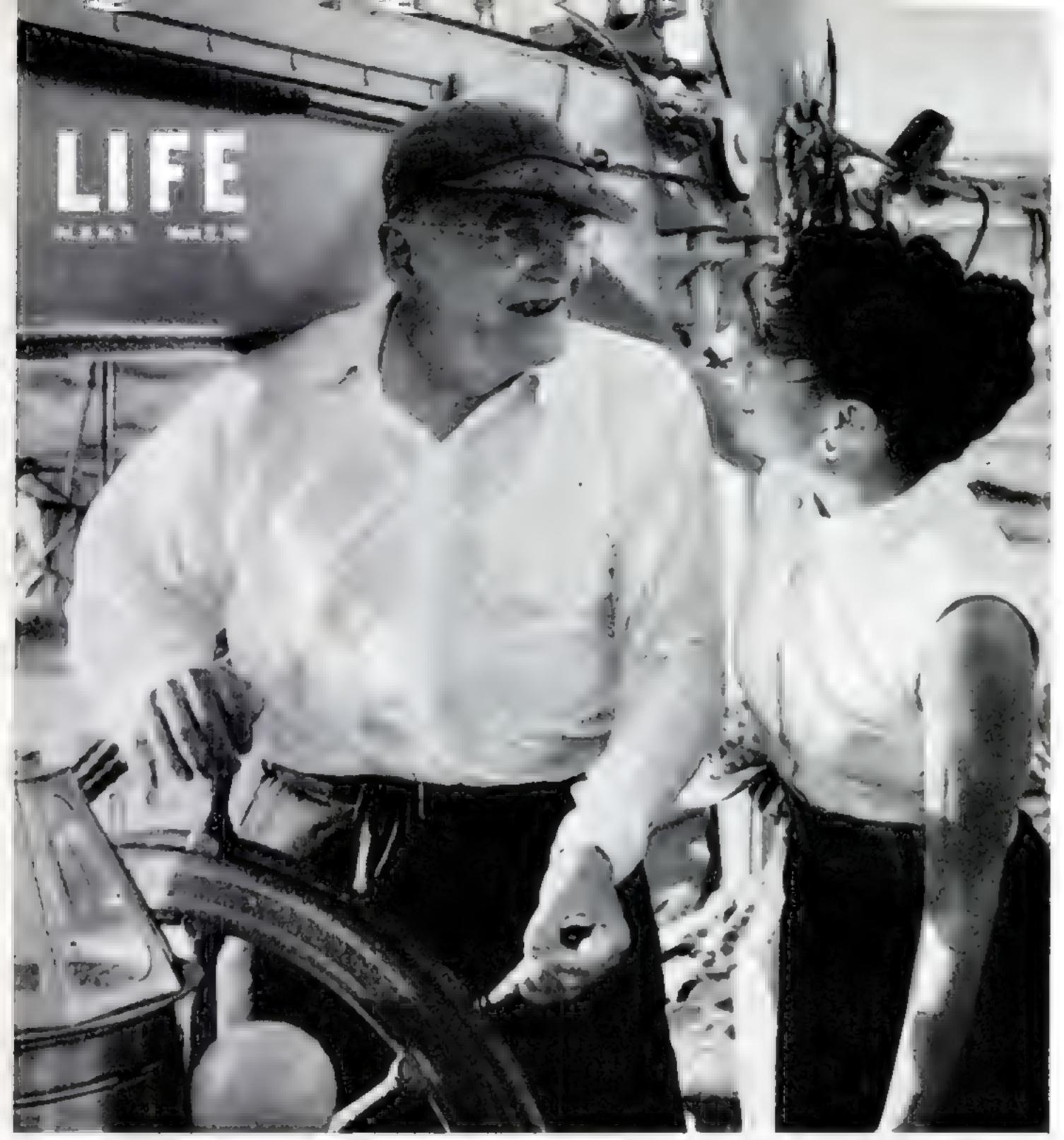


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PILOT DULLES OUTSAILS THE REDS

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Through choppy waters of hemispheric suspicion Secretary of State John Foster Dulles last week steered a patient and knowing course to win an important victory in the fight against Communism. At Caracas, Venezue-la the 10th Inter-American Conference voted 17 to 1 for a U.S. motion that called on the American republics to act against Communism as an alien despotism "constituting intervention in American affairs." The single negative vote was cast by Guatemala, where Communism has scored its most significant advances (Life, Oct. 12). Two others, a fretful Mexico and a traditionally anti-U.S. Argentina, cautiously abstained.

But the size of the pro-U.S. vote was not the full measure of Dulles' achievement in a forum where history and traditional fears of the Yanqui were working against him. The Dulles resolution updated the Monroe

Doctrine to fit in with 20th Century experience on how foreign intervention, which Monroe sought to prevent, might be achieved through domestic conspiracy. It rebutted the sophistry that "native" Communists differ from the foreign variety. It branded Communist domination of any American state as a threat to the sovereignty of all, which should be met collectively "in accordance with existing treaties."

That phrase stirred some old worries in Latin-American countries about U.S. armed intervention, and some delegates who eventually voted with the U.S. first tried to put over softening amendments. But Dulles, disclaiming any intention to dictate how other nations should meet their problems, insisted that a watered-down resolution was worse than nothing. When the vote was taken, his diplomacy of applied firmness paid off.







IMPASSIONED DEBATE AND A HAPPY ENDING

The principal opposition to Dulles' resolution came from Guatemala's Foreign Minister Guillermo Toriello, who delivered a vituperative attack on the U.S. Dulles shrewdly refused to be drawn into this kind of warfare. He kept the delegates' attention centered on the larger

issues while answering their anxious demands for economic help from the U.S. Though he could make no actual commitments, he pleased them and indicated the U.S. intention to aid them by offering an inter-American economic conference in Washington later in the year.



VOICE OF BRAZIL, Foreign Minister Rao, cried, "We must fight Communism to save our liberties."



VOICE OF CUBA, Ambassador E. Nuñez Portuondo, declared, "You can see the danger of Communism."



VOICE OF PERU, Ambassador Belaunde, declared, "Peru condemns ... work of Communist plotters."



VOICE OF MEXICO, Amhassador Cordova, argued, "Mexico is against intervention ... it is madmissible."



THE MCCARTHY ISSUE STANDS

IF IT HASN'T BEEN DISPOSED OF BY NOW, THERE ARE STILL SOME WAYS TO DO IT

Until the Messrs. McCarthy, Cohn, Stevens and Adams emerge from the garbage they have dumped on each other (pp. 45-48), it will be impossible to say whether the McCarthy era is drawing to a close or not. It is difficult to see how the sénator can surmount the loathing and total distrust he has aroused in some new and powerful quarters, which now include not only the U.S. Army but the White House, most Democrats, two major TV networks and a growing number of his fellow Republicans in the Senate.

Moreover, the public is getting tired of this interminable Von Stroheim movie starring "the man you love to hate." Serious legislation is being held up, foreign problems obscured, the public mind distracted and even business hurt. When half the U.S. government can seem to hang on the fate of Roy Cohn, one expects that the whole disorderly

dream must shortly be laughed away.

Unfortunately, on matters involving Senator McCarthy, the laughter is never general. He has almost five more years of tenure in the free world's most powerful club, the U.S. Senate, and a popular identification with the free world's most serious cause, anti-Communism. Some day he will be counted out, but he cannot be wished away. What then can be done about him? Whose responsibility is this irresponsible bore?

The power to curb McCarthy directly rests in one place and one place only: the U.S. Senate. Last week the Senate, via its Republican Policy Committee, recommended some improved rules for the conduct of investigating committees, of which McCarthy's Committee on Government Operations has the most notorious record. This feeble reform would not eurb McCarthy even if it should go into effect. Not written, but unwritten rules are the kind McCarthy fractures. To really curb him the Senate would have to abolish his committee. There are good technical arguments for doing this, but to do it the senators would have to develop just as much anger as they would need to expel

There are good technical reasons for doing that, too. Senator Benton's effort to press them in 1951 fell awfully flat, but perhaps Benton was less quixotic than premature. The Senate, under the Constitution, is empowered to write its own definition of unsenatorial conduct. In 165 years it has expelled 15 senators, refused seats to another 15, forced the resignation of seven and censured three. Some of these victims were better equipped than McCarthy to

him from the Senate.

represent an American state. The Senate is a tolerant place; its focus of dignity is hard to find, but it exists.

By any definition, McCarthy is a bad senator. He has shown no interest or capacity for national problems other than his own. His name is unconnected with any major piece of legislation. In the 1951-52 session he voted less frequently than 72 of his colleagues. He once stretched his senatorial privileges to the point of defying and insulting the old Gillette subcommittee when it tried to investigate him. He has withdrawn his libel suit against Benton, thus inviting credence to some very damaging charges. If the Senate were in a mood to expel McCarthy, it could find reasons enough.

To expect this may be wishful thinking. If so, McCarthy himself is unlikely to be curbed. Can the McCarthy problem, then, be solved some other way?

The President could solve it. He could do so not by rebuffing and disowning McCarthy (he has probably come in Carthy's crusade irrelevant and unnecessary. The people who support McCarthy are not yet convinced of his irrelevance. There are many reasons for this; not the least is the death of Senator Taft. Who now remembers Taft's contemptuous destation of McCarthy over the Bohlen confirmation? There were giants of orderly conservatism in those days—a few months ago; and there can be again.

The President's problem in restoring this order is a fairly simple one. Vice President Nixon made an excellent start toward its solution in his speech last week. The unnecessariness of McCarthy could be made unmistakable if the President would press home Nixon's reminder of how strong the government's policy on Communism really is.

Under the Smith Act of 1940, as now interpreted by the courts, the government can jail virtually any Communist it really wants to. Its failure to jail all Communists—or to ask for the outlawing of the Communist party—is a matter of tactical discretion, not of impotence or apathy. With or without a few minor enlargements of power requested by the attorney general, the government is adequately armed and informed against the domestic danger of Communism.

This goes for the danger of infiltration in government employment also. Experience has at last produced a tough and workable government security program which needs only a little time, plus continuous vigilance by responsible congressmen, to restore public confidence and the morale of government employes. The new government security program transcends questions of "loyalty" and "subversion." The government must and does resolve doubts about employes in its own favor on many more grounds than those. If it were not for McCarthy, the Democrats might even see the wisdom of giving up their foolish "numbers game," trying to force the government to isolate its "loyalty" cases when a general security program gives better protection to all concerned.

The surest and best replacement for McCarthy's indecent anti-Communism is a decent anti-Communism to which the great bulk of the nation, Republicans and responsible Democrats, could subscribe. Its definition would state the conviction that Communists are members of an international criminal conspiracy whose goals and methods are well known and unchanged. It would disavow complacence about the danger of infiltration, past, present and future, and would even offer advice on this danger to the heads of universities and other sensitive and vulnerable areas over whose policies the government has and wants no control. It would express the general sense of the nation that most "Fifth Amendment Communists" are Communists. It would remind us that even Communists, however, are guaranteed the protection of the laws and the Bill of Rights. It would ridicule the so-called "reign of terror" which liberals are forever announcing and relegate it to its source in the minds of Communists and poltroons.

Such a statement by the President would not solve the Communist problem, which requires universal vigilance every day. But it would surely cut the McCarthy problem down to size. The President might even succeed in taking the word "treason" out of politics and restoring its rightful meaning. Such a political accomplishment would far outweigh the political risk involved. Indeed a considerable political risk would be well worth taking if we could be sure of burying the McCarthy era once and for all.



A SULTAN, BLOODY BUT UNASSASSINATED

"I may fail but there are others like me," vowed a nationalist assassin, who six months ago (Life, Sept. 28) tried to kill the French-in-talled Sultan of Morocco, Sidi Mohammed Ould Moulay el Arafa, Fearful, the sultan, who is 76, kept to his palace in Rahat. But early this month, to show himself in public, he ventured south to Marrakech on a visit to the powerful Pasha el Glaoui. The two rulers went to a mosque to pray, but

just as the sultan bowed toward Mecca, a hand grenade exploded a few feet away. A 25-year-old garage mechanic, Ahmed ben Ali ben Mohammed, ran toward the door, Collared and dragged outside, he gasped, "I knew this awaited me," just before he was shot to death by El Glaoui himself. Said the lucky old sultan as blood from a superficial wound over his eyebrow flooded down over his white djallabah, "It is divine will."





OUTLINES OF DUST were left on a Lul book. Texas table top after dishes and napkins were removed. Fine dust got in even though all windows were short.



DUST DUNE on a farm near Seagraves, Texas was built up by trees and bushes, which trapped dirt. West winds which drove the soil sometimes reached 70 mph.



DUST, DUNES AND DARKNESS

Skies in huge areas of the West were dark last week with the most violent dust storms since the 1930s. Gales stripped away top soil long powdered by drought and exposed by the over-plowing practice of "suitcase farming." Suitcase farmers live in the city and visit their farms only briefly to plant for maximum yield and a quick profit. This leaves their land without adequate ground cover, and when winds rise, dust from their fields blankets the neighboring farms. In the panhandles of Texas and Oklahoma, and the bordering areas of Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico, seething soil drifted everywhere, stripping some fields, inundating others. Even high-flying geese fell to earth, suffocated. The winter wheat, needing rain, still held back much of the topsoil. Bad enough now, the situation would become desperate if rains did not come within a month.



DARKNESS AT NOON forced truck to him on its headlights along Highway 287 near Lamar, Colo,

SAND ALONG RAILS is pushed across right of way so prevailing winds will not blow it onto tracks.





WILMA MONTESI DIED AT 21

OF DOPE AND DEATH

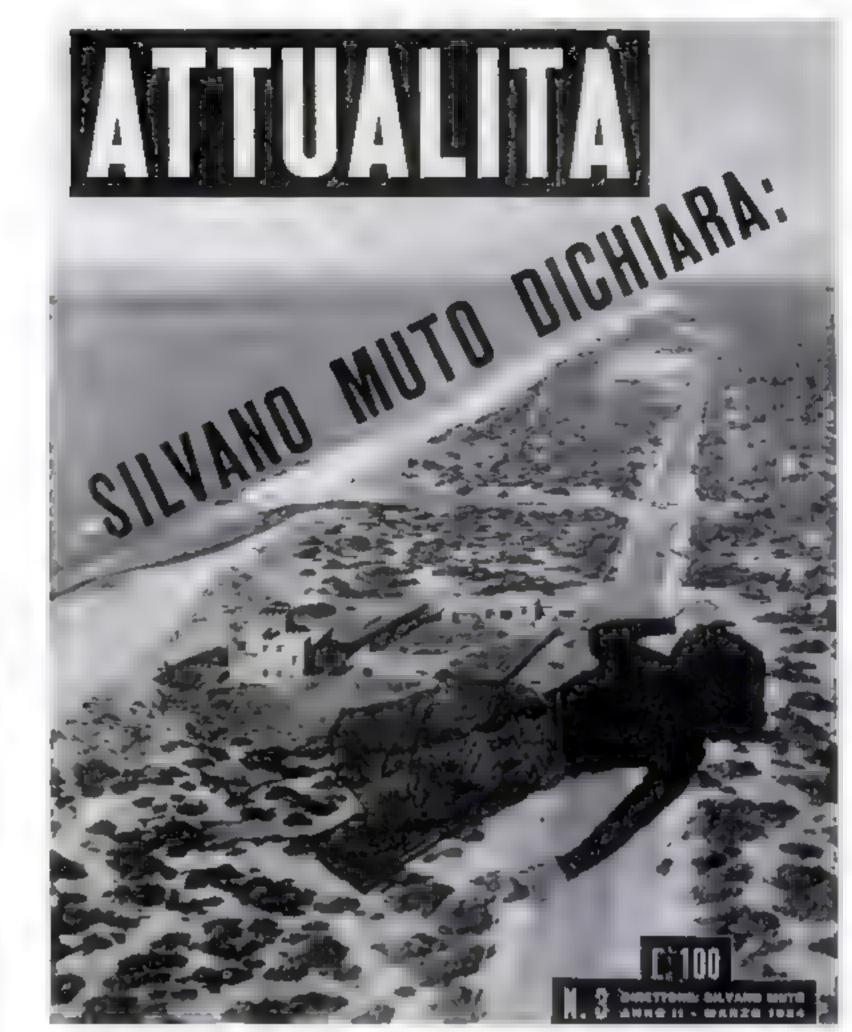
When a Roman girl named Wilma Montesi was found dead on the beach at nearby Ostia last April, police called it accidental drowning, and no one paid much attention. But last week everyone in Italy was talking about the Montesi case, and the scandalous talk threatened Premier Mario Scelba's new government.

The scandal broke when the magazine Attualità charged that Wilma actually died from taking too much opium at an exclusive club. Haled into court, Editor Silvano Muto identified the club as aristocratic St. Hubert's hunting lodge. He said two would-be actresses, Adriana Bisaccia and Anna Maria Caglio, had told of all-night dope orgies there. As chief party-giver, Muto named Marchese Ugo Montagna, who was later reported to be no marchese at all but a onetime black-marketeer and German spy.

Signorina Caglio, who called herself Montagna's ex-mistress, added salacious details to Muto's story, then implied that her lover and the foreign minister's son had asked Italy's police chief to hush up the Montesi case. By the time Anna Maria finished mentioning important names, 24 lawsuits had been filed against her, and she had given Communists plenty of mud to sling against the government. Courageously moving to clean things up, Premier Scelba last week let his police chief resign, ordered a cabinet-level investigation of the whole Montesi mess.



DEATH SITE at Ostia is marked by a crude cross. Boy beside it was playing nearby when a passer-by discovered Wilma's partly clad body.



A GRISLY REMINDER of Montess death, on cover of the magazine which broke case, shows oversize girl lying across Ostra brach. Caption advertises Editor Muto's testimony.



RELUCTANT WITNESS at Muto's trial was Adriana Bisaccia, an existentialist and artist's model. She attempted suicide before testifying, then claimed she had lost memory.

GIORNO



A ROMANTIC REMINDER of gayer days, on cover of a rival magazine, shows "Marchese" Ugo Montagna and Anna Maria Caglio. All Italian magazines gave big play to case.



STAR WITNESS for Muto was Anna Maria Caglio, the daughter of a prominent Milan businessman. She is held by man at right so photographers outside court can take picture.



AN EDITOR, Silvano Muto, is on trial for printing false news apt to perturb public order and his case is still before the court.



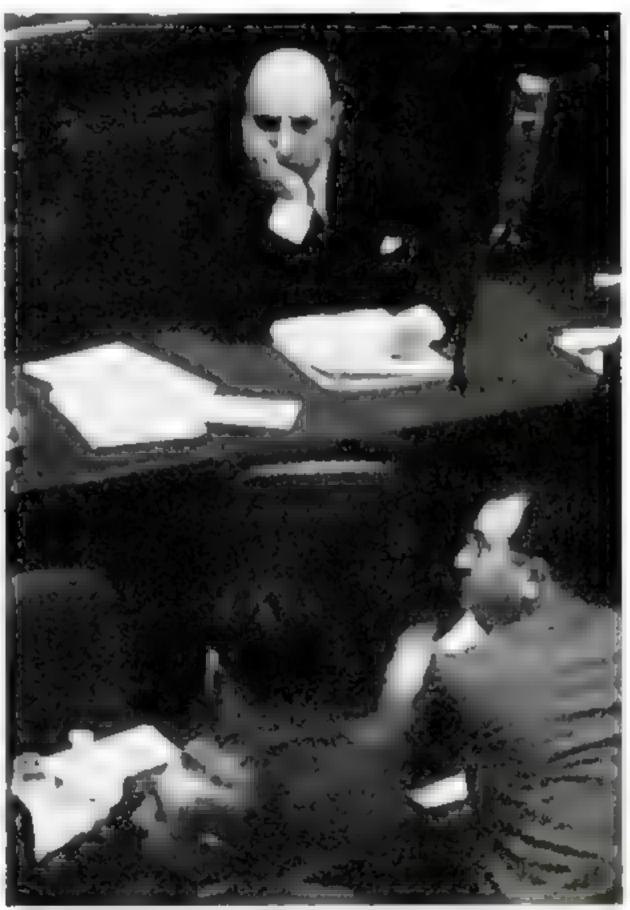
POLICE CHIEF Tommaso Payone, a Scelba appointee, has resigned but will fight charge he accepted favors from Montagna.



CLUB GUEST Piero Piccioni, a jazz musician and son of the foreign minister, is suing Anna Mana for naming him in case.



FOREIGN MINISTER Attilio Precioni, a prominent Christian Democrat, may resign because of the testimony about his son.



WEARY PREMIER Scelbs is shown as he awaited successful result of confidence test in Chamber of Deputies. Now he faces new attacks

BIG-MOUTHED LEADER of "Society of Gallant Men." Shahan boasts of more than 300 brawls for

the shah. The shah rewarded him with an interview and, Shahan save, a promise of his own gymnasium.

NOT PAINLESS' IS 'BRAINLESS'

And he sways Iranian voters

The bazaars of Tehran trembled last week at the sight of a black-bearded face, at the sound of vide insults and of heads being knocked together. "The Brainless One" was out electroncering. The bully's real name is Shaban Jafari and, though once a famed wrestler, his favorite sport now is "persuading" Persians to vote for pro-shah members of parliament.

Armed with knives, clubs and chains, The Brainless One and his mob stalked from one polling place to the next making sure that Premier Zahedi's Royalists got just about every vote. Suspected Mossadegh or Communist supporters were yanked out of line. Some were stabbed, beaten or shorn of their hair. Others more fortunate, were merely booted back in line with a new ballot marked by Shaban.

Although nobody is quite certain where The Brainless One's zealous backing of the shah stems from, they do know how he got his unflattering nickname. Last year, determined to kill Mossadegh who was still in power, Shaban rammed his jeep head-on into the bedridden premier's home. The ill-conceived assassination attempt fizzled when Mossadegh, very much alive, vaulted over the garden wall in his pajamas and had Shaban arrested.

Royalists appreciated The Brainless One's current efforts but probably did not consider them necessary since the Royalists were certain to win the election anyway. His methods are standard procedure in Iranian elections. In fact people remarked that, despite The Brainless One, this one seemed quieter than most. No one was killed and only 200 were hurt.



SACRIFICE TO SHABAN was made by an awed voter who slaughtered a sleep for "Brainless," Sheep lies in a pool of blood while Shaban holds dripping head.



HOSPITALITY FOR SHABAN (second from right) and followers is extended by the sheep owner who provides a charcoal foot warmer and use of his house.

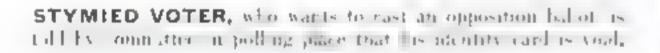


BRAINLESS HORSEPLAY is used by Shaban to teach two squeamish heutenants how to get really tough with anti-Royalist votors. The ex-wrestler has them

collared and, to the delight of his other followers as about to bang their heads together. A lesson like this does not make Shaban's nenchmen any less loyal.



CONVERTED VOTERS get hask identity early together with filled in ballets from a progovernment campagner who uses less violent tiches than Shakan.





THE BRAINLESS ONE (SECOND FROM LEFT) AND HIS GANG GET HELP FROM SOLDIERS AND COPS AS THEY BEAT AN ANTIGOVERNMENT VOTER INTO SUBMISSION





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with 1 tsp. butter

Whole Milk (1 cup)

BREAKFAST

Orange Juice (1/2 cup) Quaker Oatmeal (35 cup) with 1/2 cup whale milk and I tup, sugar Rye Bread Toast (1 slice) with Tap, butter

Coffee (black)

LUNCHEON Two-Egg Omelet with

2 Thip. Creale Sauce Reliabes (culory, radishes) Oatmeat Bread (1 slice) with I tsp. butter Royal Anno Cherries with зугир (Уз сир) Skim Milk (1 cup)

DINNER

Cube Steak (5 ounces) Baked Pototo (1 small) with 1½ tsp. butter Spinach (1/2 cup) with small lemon wedge; ½ tsp. butter Tossed Salad (1 cup) with 1/2 Thip. French Dressing Apricot Whip (1/2 cup) Skim Milk (1 cup)



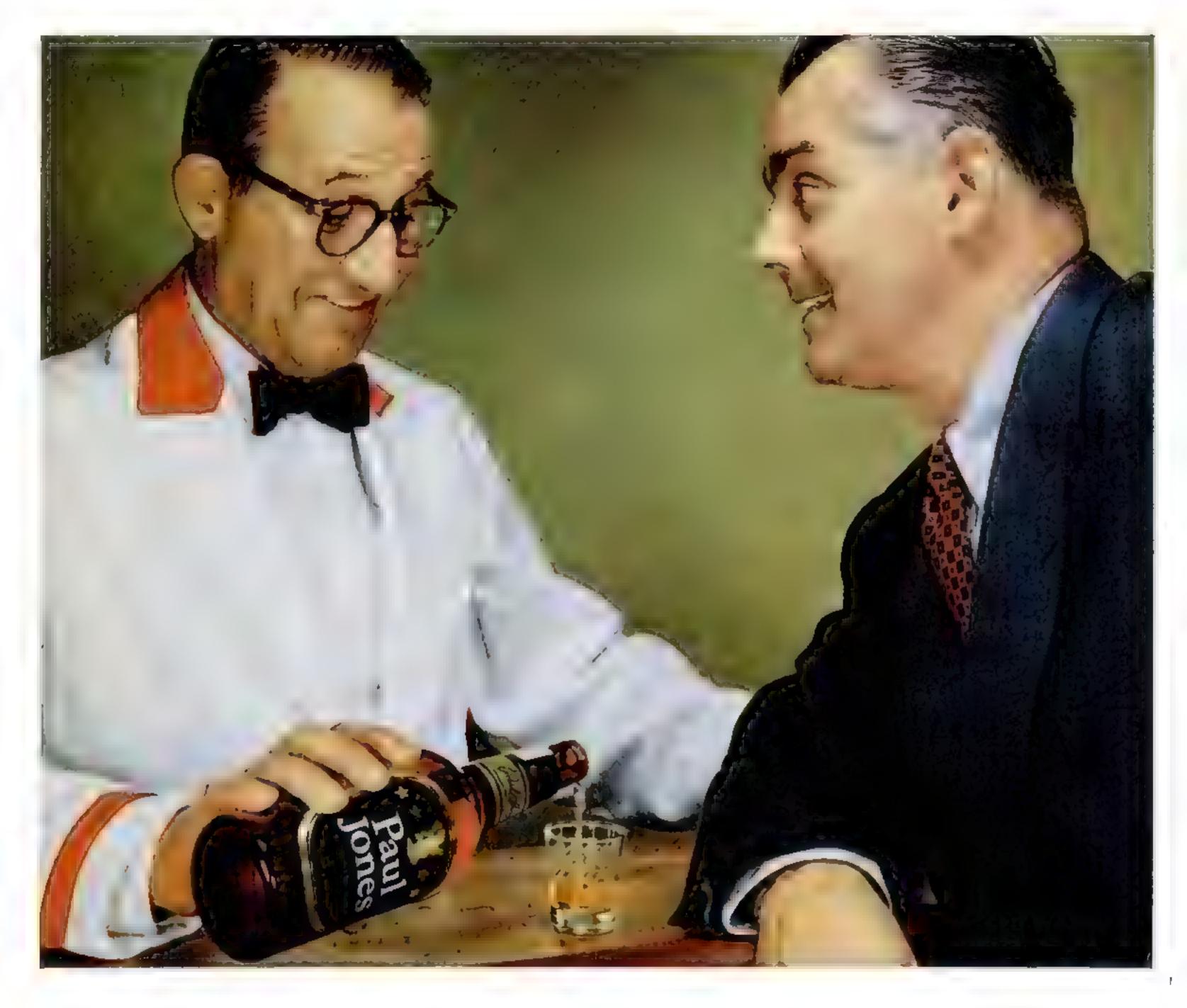




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COHN-SCHINE SAGA AT A CRITICAL POINT

McCarthy's counsel, named in Army report, precipitates a real mess of trouble for his boss



ON FAMOUS TRIP to Europe last spring, Cohn and Schine board a plane at the London sirport.

The man Joseph McCarthy had called his number one asset, Chief Committee Counsel Roy Cohn, suddenly appeared last week as the senator's biggest hability. The change came with the release of a U.S. Army report on the efforts made by Cohn, often with McCarthy's approval, to obtain preferential Army treatment for Cohn's sidekick, G. David Schine.

Although much of the story was already known (Life, March 8), the ferocity of Cohn's efforts had not been fully revealed. Over and over again, the report stated, Cohn had complained to Army Department Counsel John G. Adams that the Army was "double-crossing" him by not granting his requests. At one time he had threatened to "expose the Army in its worst light" if it did not cooperate. McCarthy himself had made a similar threat.

Well-reasoned cases have been made repeatedly against McCartley, but this one promised to be the most damaging politically. Millions of former servicemen (to say nothing of their parents and friends) would resent a display of favoritism. Cohn and Schme had known adverse publicity before, notably when they made a junket through Europe last April. Schine, 26, son of a wealthy hotel owner, was an unpaid consultant to McCarthy. Cohn, 27, was a paid professional. The son of a New York judge, he had graduated from Columbia University Law School at 20, worked with the Justice Department on the Rosenberg trial and the 1952-53 conviction of the second-echelon Communists.

Now under heavy fire, Cohn and McCarthy struck back desperately. They released what they said were committee memorandums showing that Army Secretary Stevens had offered to supply them with "durt" on the other services if they would spare the Army. They said that Adams had begged Cohn's help in getting a lucrative law job. McCarthy praised his chief counsel effusively but opposition was piling up.



in TRAINING at Comp Gordon, Ga., Schine has had no preferential treatment since he left Fort Dix.



DEFENDING COHN (*right*). McCarthy save only J. Edgar Hoover is hated more by the Communists.







ON TELEVISION Murrow (left) says U.S. can blame only itself for mecarthyism. Most telling shots in the show were of McCarthy's smekering laugh (right),

A RAPID SEQUENCE OF SETBACKS

It was a bad week for McCarthy even before the Army report appeared. At the outset he was turned down by the networks when he demanded free time to reply to Adlai Stevenson's speech accusing the Republicans of adopting meanthyism. The time was given instead to the Republican National Committee, who chose Vice President Nixon to answer Stevenson. On the Senate floor, Republican Ralph Flanders of Vermont (left) delivered an effective speech ridiculing McCarthy's record. Over TV, Edward R. Murrow used his widely seen CBS See It Now program to point up McCarthy's inconsistencies, his half-truths and recklessness. Never betwee had a major network allowed a direct attack on McCarthy, and the response was overwhelmingly favorable. At his weekly press conference Eisenhower praised the networks and Senator Flanders.

McCarthy was having trouble even in his own committee, which had summoned Annie Lee Moss, whom he had previously accused of Communist membership (LIFE, March 8). Under persistent questioning, Mrs. Moss appeared to be a victim of mistaken identity who did not even know who Karl Marx was. When Senator McClellan denounced Roy Cohn's devicus questioning of Mrs. Moss, the audience broke into wild applause.

Following these blows came the Army's report, which led to a day of harges and countercharges. A Republican member of the subcommittee, Michigan's Charles Potter, said that if the charges were true Cohn should be fired the Democratic members and Republican Senators Mundt and Dirksen were similarly critical. Dirksen, once a McCarthy supporter, was particularly irked because McCarthy had released the anti-Stevens memorandoms without clearing them with his colleagues. The next day McCarthy offered to vacate his chairmanship temporarily to testify for Cohn. Finally Vice President Nixon, looking the TV audience earnestly in the eye, off stally called the party ranks against McCarthy's methods (p. 48).



FIRST ADVERSARY was Senator Flanders, here shown in his office who attacked McCarthy for helping the Democrats by splitting the Republican parts.



FORMER ALLY, Potter reads statement that the Army's "shocking charges" should be investigated.



ACCUSED WITNESS, Mrs. Moss. denies Communist tie, Symington and he'd find her a new job.

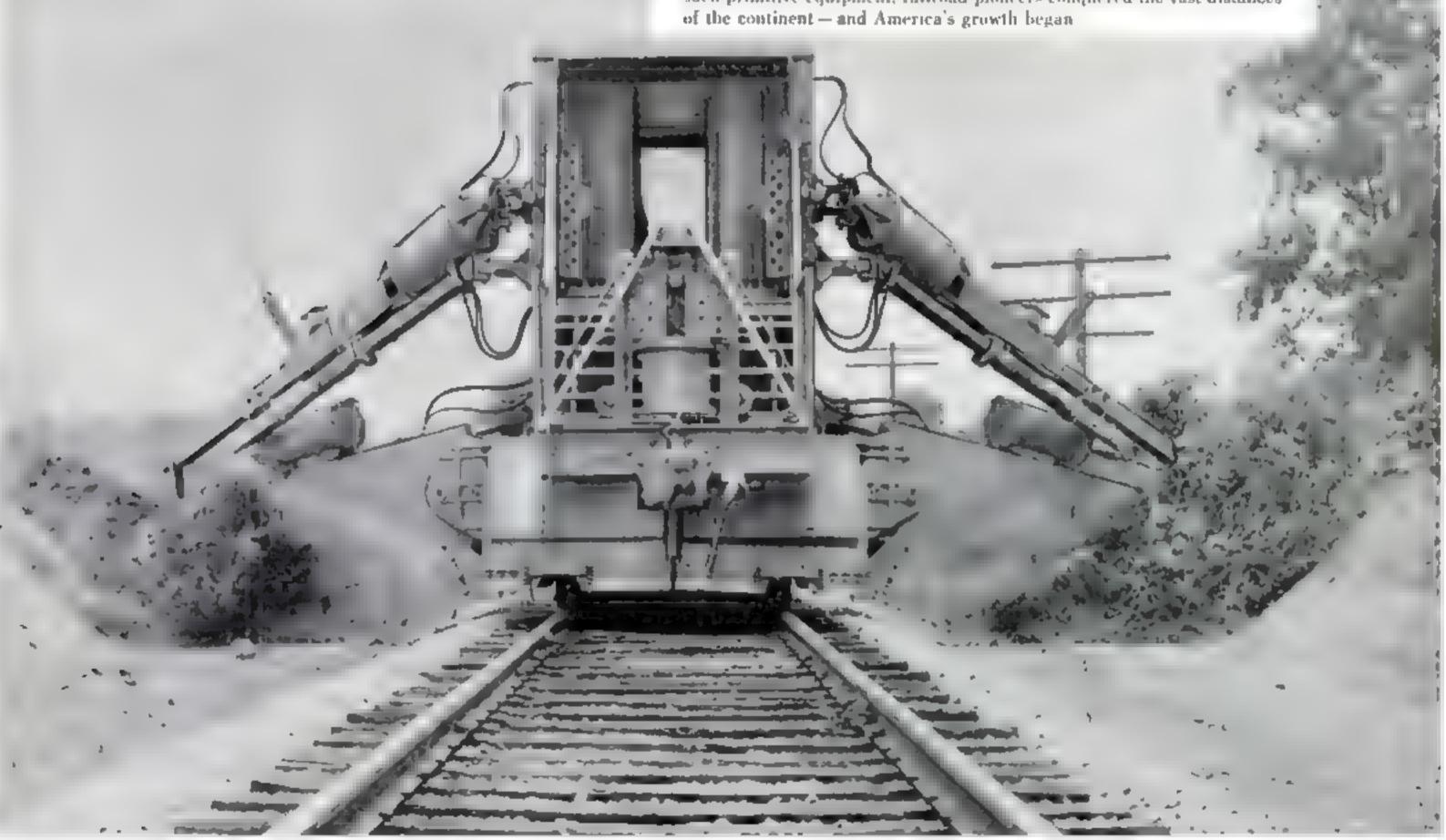


CURRENT TARGETS, Stevens and his counsel, John G. Adams, deny McCarthy's countercharge.

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ADMINISTRATION VOICE, that of Vice President Richard Nixon, answered Stevenson and also spoke about McCarthy. He denounced "reckless talk" and "questionable methods" of some congressional investigators. Those guilty of this, he said, "have diverted attention from the Communist danger."



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11/4 lhs, ground beef

1½ tsp. salt

1/8 tsp. pepper 2 tbsp. chopped onion

2 thep, chopped green pepper (optional)

2 cans Hunt's Tomato Sauce

2 thep. sugar

1/4 thsp. Worcestershire Sauce

Combine the beef, salt, pepper, onion, green pepper and ½ can Hunt's Tomato Sauce. Press into greased 9 x 12 x 2-inch baking dish. Bake on lowest shelf in hot oven (450°F.) for 10 minutes. Broil 5 minutes longer. While meat is cooking, combine remaining tomato sauce, sugar and Worcestershire sauce. Bring to a boil. Boil about 3 minutes. Add meat drippings, if desired. Cut meat in half crosswise. Arrange sandwich fashion on platter, pouring tomato sauce between and on top of meat. Serves 6.



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Jack Benny, whose main item of humor is being a close man with a nickel, last week threw Hollywood's most expensive wedding in years for his adopted daughter Joan. He sent a Hollywood designer to Paris to oversee the weaving of the bride's \$2,500 gown and flew in white lilaes from Holland to adorn the Beverly Hills Hotel, where Hollywood's cream turned out for the wedding and a Hollywood-style reception (below). With such incidentals as \$2,750 for 700 pounds of boned breast of squab, \$5,100 for 35 cases of champagne and \$500 for a 200-pound, five-tier wedding cake, the bill added up to a grand \$50,000. The quips, however, came free from fellow comedians in attendance. Bob Hope dusted off this one: "Benny figures he's not gaining a son but losing a deduction." Benny remarked with simple dignity, "It was worth it."



JOAN, HER HUSBAND, SETH BAKER, AND THE BENNYS POSE AT WEDDING

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JERRY GETS IN A JAM

A city has to excavate a too-eager rabbit hunter

Jerry, a springer spaniel of Wauwatosa, Wis, set out on a sniffing expedition one afternoon last week with Cindy, the next-door Doberman. Flushing a rabbit, the pair gave chase, only to see it vanish into a culvert. Unhesitatingly Jerry followed, but unfortunately the culvert was half filled with freezing mud and he was soon stuck fast. When a saddened Cindy arrived home, her owner, Howard Schroeder, was puzzled. Then his brother Robert came over and announced Jerry was missing. Cindy led them to the culvert, but they could not reach Jerry. The next morning rescue operations began. Several people tried to get at Jerry's legs but failed. An improvised ramrod did not prod him loose. Finally the city had to dig up the street and break the pipe. The rescue took most of the day and cost the city \$150 before the dog was pulled out. After a bath, Jerry refused to eat. He had caught his rabbit and had been munching on it all night.

A MUD-CAKED JERRY IS FONDLY HOISTED OUT OF THE HOLE BY SCHROEDER AFTER 23-HOUR ENTOMBMENT









SPANIEL IN SINK, looking huminated, gets a bath and a hot-water bottle.



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LIFE ON THE NEWSFRONTS OF THE WORLD

Test bomb irradiates 264 people, Barbara leaves Porfirio, General Dean testifies for Colonel Schwable

Somebody miscalculated in planning a nuclear test explosion—reported in some quarters to be a hydrogen blast—in the Marshall Islands. As a result 28 Americans and 236 natives 75 miles from the blast were exposed to nuclear radiation. The Atomic Energy Commission admitted the accident last week after a Marine had written home about it. But as far as doctors could tell, the AEC said, nobody had been burned or otherwise harmed.

New unemployment figures showed that in February 584,000 more people became jobless, bringing the total to 3,671,000. The C.I.O. jumped quickly up with a blast: "It is essential the government get to work—now—to halt this rush toward depression."

Alaskan tragedy (cont.)

Blond, 31-year-old Diane Wells, who was indicted along with her band drummer boyfriend, Johnny Warren, for the murder of her rich 51-year-old husband in Alaska (Life, Nov. 30), killed herself last week in Los Angeles with eleeping pills. Diane, who had denied having a romance with Warren, left four notes. One said, "For one thing, I am guilty too for ever seeing Warren and if Warren is guilty. . . . Cecil is dead and I must be the cause of it one way or another. D." In an envelope was her St. Christopher medal and a note saying, "I won't need this on my last trip."



MENACED PHOTOGRAPHER GOT THIS PICTURE

In Atlanta, prison officials released Edward J. Florio, an oldtime scourge of New York's piers, which were at the time bottled up all week by another longshoremen's strike. But Florio was picked up again to face another indictment in New Jersey. Jail not having improved his temper at all, Florio threatened a photographer (above) with a piece of lead pipe.



DERAILED COACH HOVERS OVER PRECIPICE

Pole saves passengers

Near Forth Bridge, Scotland the Aberdeen-London Express was hurtling around a bend when it was derailed. One coach whipped over the lip of a deep gorge, then stopped in mid-air instead of tumbling to the bottom. When terrified passengers crept out, they saw what had saved them (above). A single telegraph pole, luckily in the right spot, had caught the car, swayed sideways and then held fast, delicately balancing the coach above the chasm.

Four more power-making atomic furnaces will be built, in addition to the one which is being developed by Westinghouse. In announcing them, the Atomic Energy Commission disclosed that each will have a different design.

Con's other rap

Lawrence Howley always maintained he was innocent of robbing the New Britain Bank in
Berlin, Conn., saying he was home by the radio
at the time. It made no difference to witnesses,
judge or jury. He was identified, convicted and
given 10 years. That was 10 months ago. Now
another man has confessed the crime. Howley
called his wife to tell her the happy news that
he may soon be freed, but their joy was not as
complete as it might have been. Howley, who
served nine years in the '40s for robbing and
kidnaping, is wanted on another charge: robbing a man in Connecticut in 1952.

Dominican Diplomat Porfirio Rubirosa and dime-store millionairess Barbara Hutton, who made news just 72 days before by getting married, had another statement for the press: "We regret that we have mutually decided it is wisest for us to separate." But there was no truth in the widely published reports, the pair implied, that Barbara was furious at Rubi for paying too much attention to too many other ladies.

Testimony from an expert

General William Dean, an expert on Communist tortures, appeared before the military court of inquiry studying the case of Marine Colonel Frank Schwable's confessions to germ warfare (Life, Mar. 1). "I don't think anyone

knows how much he can take in physical torture until he is subjected to it," said Dean. Then he admitted that he himself, although not tortured as much as Schwable, had written letters to the U.S. command asking them to bomb only military targets. If he went to battle again, Dean said, he would carry a suicide pill so he could not be captured alive.

Schwable himself told what happened to him. Exposure month after month to severe cold and the withholding of water, medical care and toilet facilities so wore him down that eventually during interrogations he "just drifted off into saying ves to some things," later let the Reds make recordings and movies.

President Eisenhower, though not at the trial, told reporters his feelings on the case: that you could not restore men who cracked under Red pressure to command and ask young America to follow them. But, he cautioned, they must not be condemned too severely.

By a close vote (91–77), California's 26th District Democrats picked Jimmy Roosevelt to run for Congress. Said Jimmy, he wants to go to Washington to wipe out slurs against his father's name. Said the dissenting Democrats, recalling his sensation-packed separation sait (Life, Feb. 15), "On the basis of his unique attitude to the seventh commandment, we would rather not be a party to reckless gambling of our Democratic seat in Congress."



RUSSIAN (CENTER) FIGHTS, COMPADE FALLS

Russia's ice hockey team, playing a bruising but brilliant game, upset the Canadians—who consider hockey their private property—to win the world amateur championship in Stockholm. The score: 7-2. The two teams, who had reached the final play-off by defeating six other nations, at one point lost tempers and tangled (above). They did each other no real harm.

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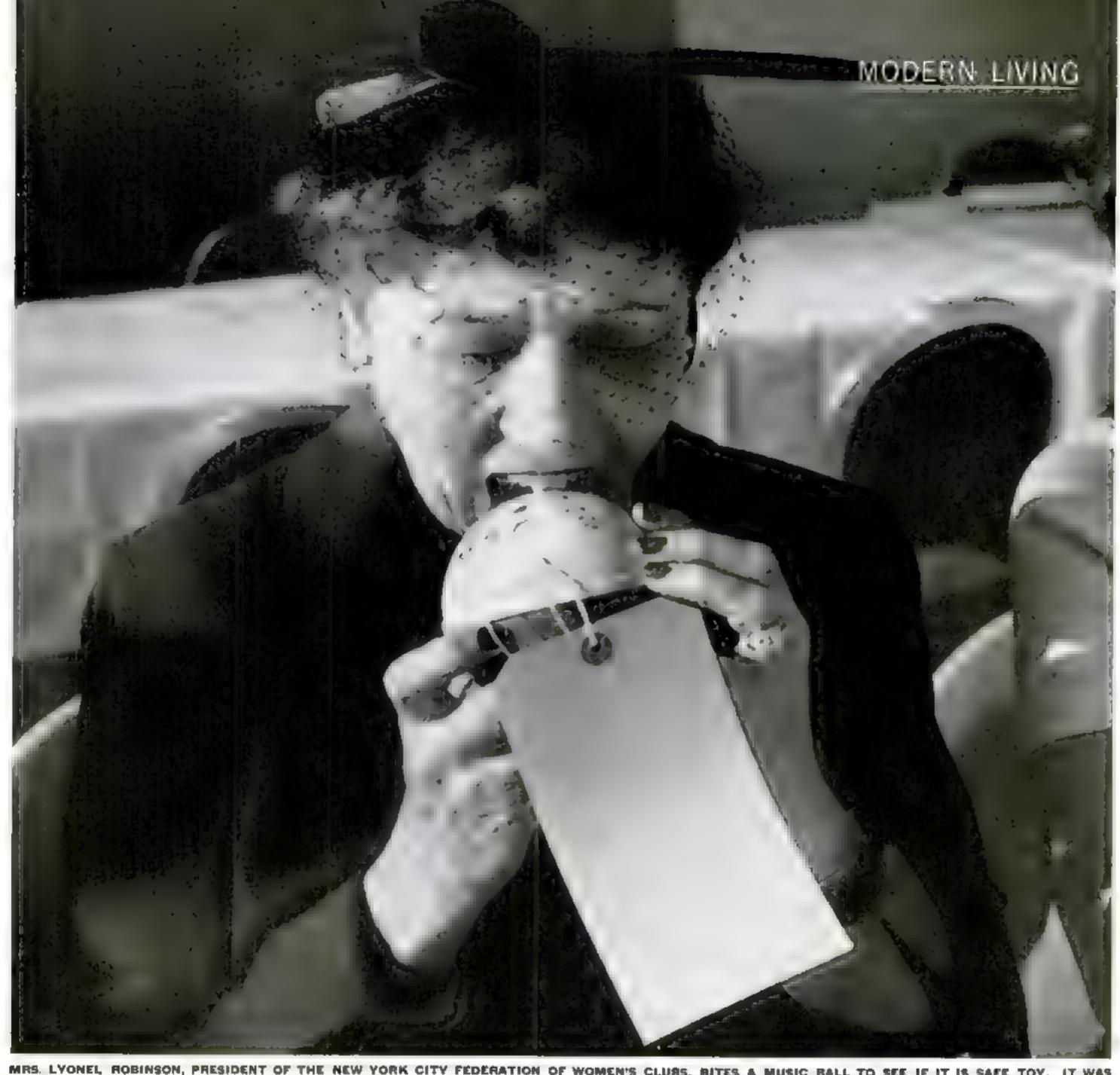
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EXPERTS CHOOSE THE TOYS OF THE YEAR

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In a rugged three-day session in New York this month, eminent educators and toy experts from all over the country returned to toddler and gradeschool days to test and choose toys for children. At the end of the judging many of the 2,500 toys and some of the conscientious judges were the worse for wear, but 104 exceptional playthings, all made in the U.S., had been selected to bear Toy Guidance Council Educator Approved tags during 1954. To survive the heated debates and tests, a toy had to be sturdy, help to develop the user and, above all, be fun to play with. Among toys approved were those shown on these pages, along with many construction kits, hobbycraft items, building blocks. Toys with only brief appeal, that seemed overpriced or dangerous, were consistently turned down. Among these were numbered-paint-sets which the educators think might stifle a young artist, a plastic ball filled with water which a toddler might break, a farm with pointed trees and telegraph poles that would be dangerous to fall on, a gun that propelled corks with too much pop, and a tea set with garish gold coloring made of a plastic that eracked. The toys which were approved have so much prestige value that retail stores immediately placed orders of a quarter of a million dollars for each of the 104 toys.



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TESTING POOL TABLE, Mrs. Emma D. Sheehy, Professor of Education at Teachers College, Columbia University (left) and Dr. Doris Gregory of the Long Beach, California public schools find table sturdy, vote approval.



SOCKING BO-BO, 4-year-old Alan Roast, brought to meeting to demonstrate play value of toys, knocks clown for a loop, kept socking until Bo-Bo awang in the other direction, flattened Alan. Bo-Bo was approved by panel.



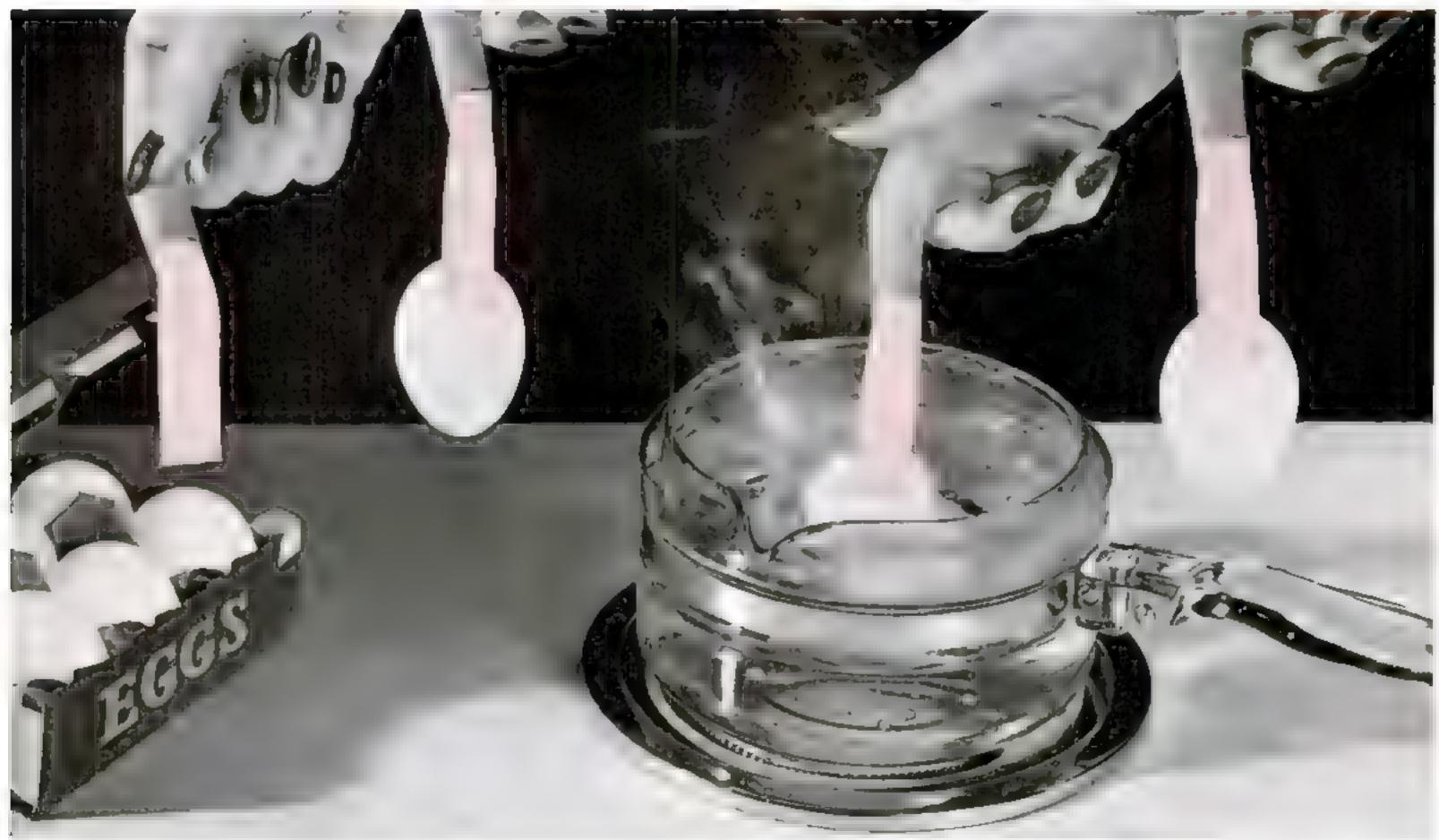
RIDING WONDER HORSE, panel member Thomas Fansler, director of National Safety Council in Chicago, finds springs sturdy, horse's action exhilarating without being dangerous. Horse, which costs \$29.95, was approved.

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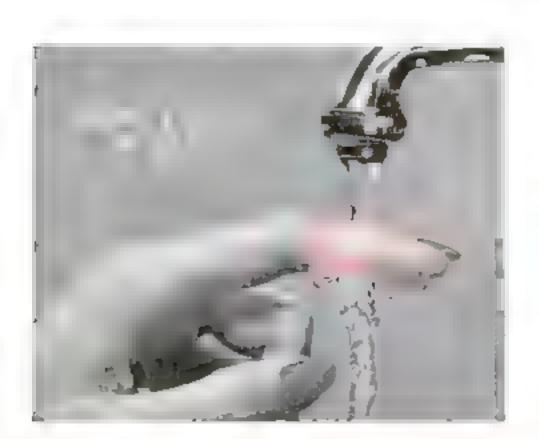
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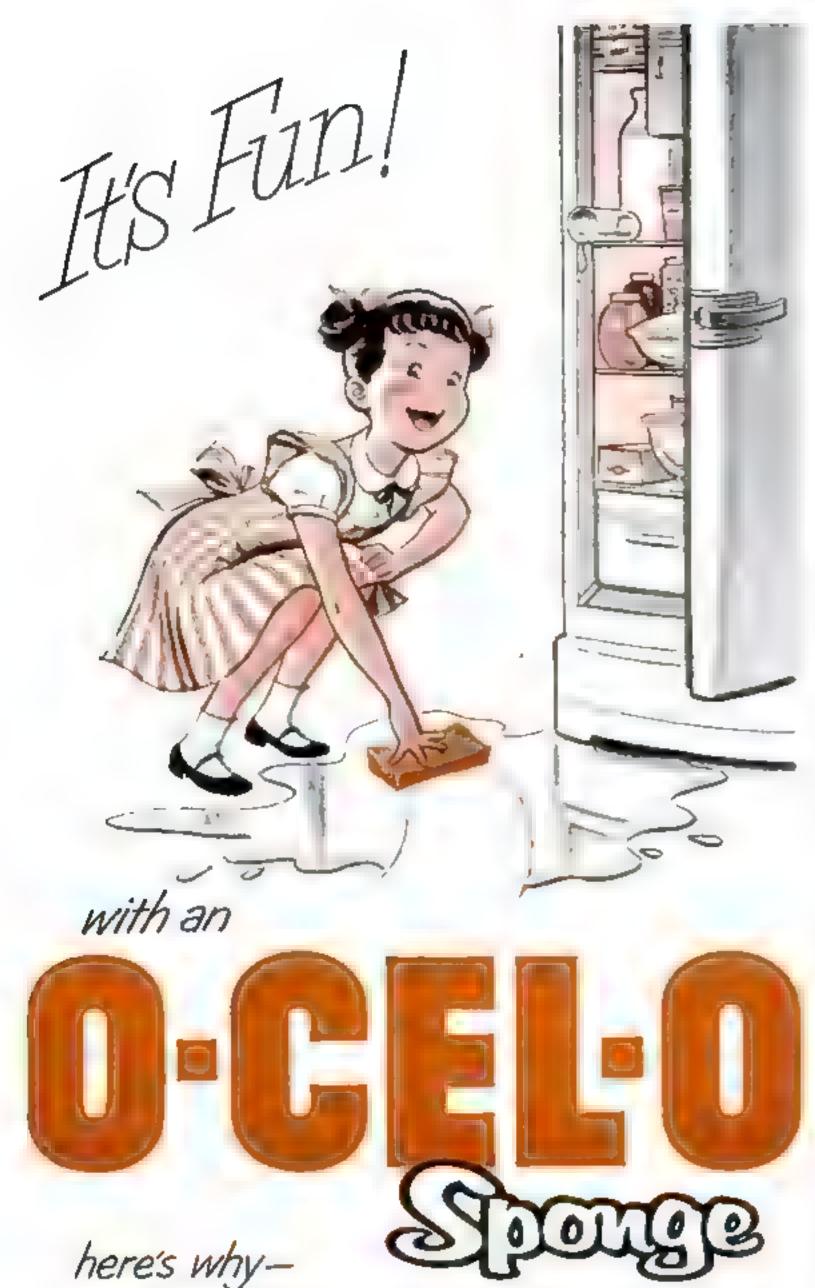




DANCING WITH DOLL which has elastic loops to slip over feet, Dr. Philip Lewis, Chairman of Education at Chicago Teachers College, declared her the most malleable partner he has ever had. Doll got unanimous acclaim.



JUMPING ON POGO POLE, Dr. Mary Moffitt, Assistant Professor of Education, Queens College, Flushing, New York, demonstrated for less agile panel members that the pole had safety rubber grips, should be okayed. It was,



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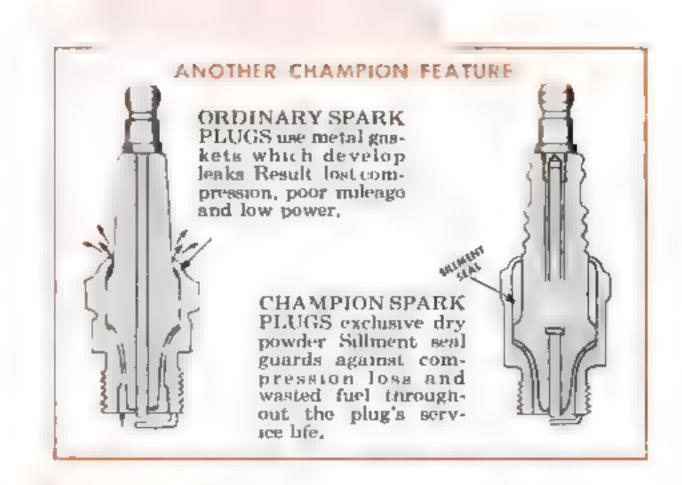
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MINDY AS BERT

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For six years the good things of a performer's life have come pell-mell to Mindy Eurson. Her name changed literally to Joy (she married manager-coach Eddie Joy). Her sugary singing made her a top nightclub star (her earnings source) and marriage brought special blessings (next page). Now Mindy is enjoying her biggest single song hit to dates the number shown here, a wistful wail of loneliness called Nesesy, made famous 49 years ago by Vaudevillian Bert Williams in his great hobo act. Mrs. Joy has so much charm she can't help make the sad song nearly happy.







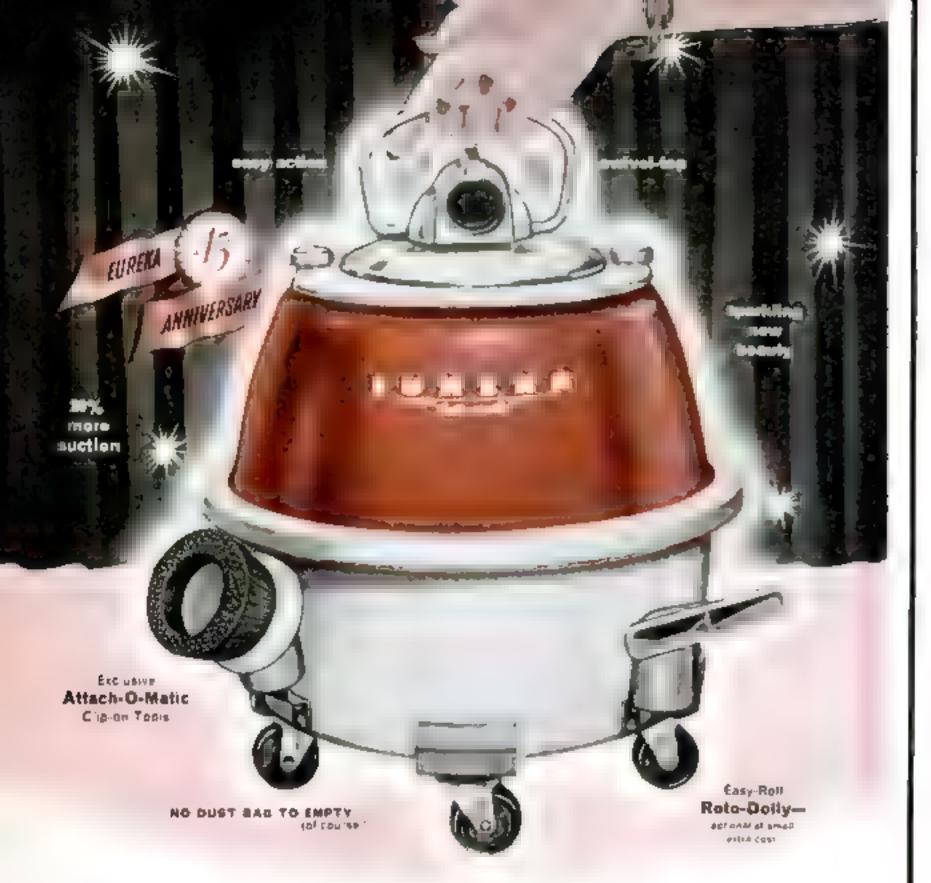








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TOMBOY MINDY was playing ball with neighborhood boys in Bronx, New York when Life last reported on her.

'NOW I FELT I WAS A WOMAN'

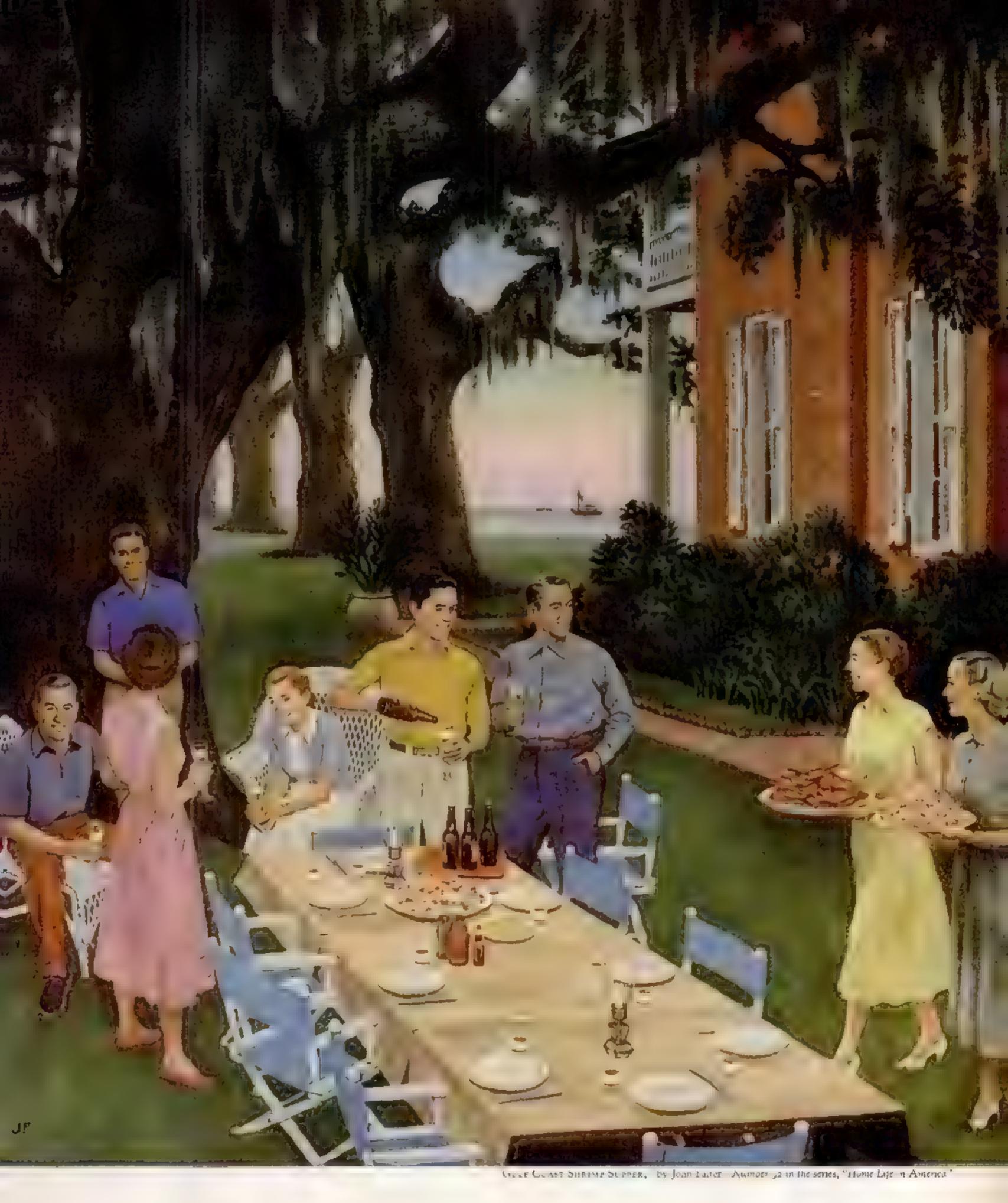
Mindy Carson was newly married to her manager-coach when LIFE published a story on her (Sept. 19, 1949). She went on to become star of a TV show. Two years ago, her career was interrupted by the birth of daughter Jody. Being a mother, says Mindy, made her more confident as a performer. "Before, I'd always felt like a kid, but now I felt I was a woman and that—gee whiz!—I could do anything." Last August daughter Cathy was born. This had an even better effect, said Mindy: "I felt twice as confident."



MOTHER MINDY feeds daughter Jody in seven-room duplex in Manhatian as Cathy looks on. She has a housekeeper and nurse to help care for children.



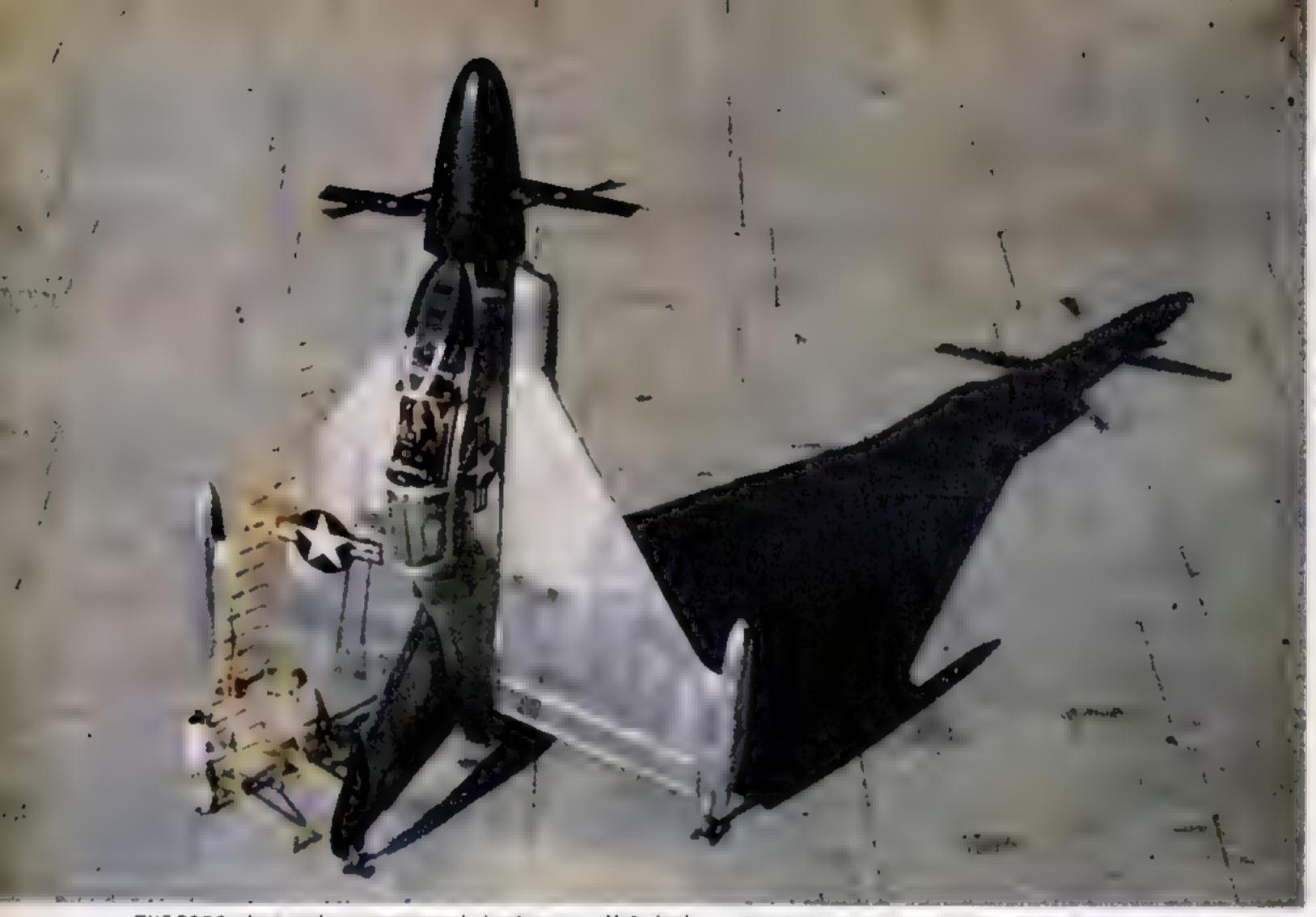
STORYTELLER MINDY, with husband, a successful music publisher, gets whoops of laughter out of most of family as she reads Three Little Pigs.



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THE F-102 rests at labourds Air Febre Base in Call Department elected to the new jet interceptor receives his last infinite instructions from a 8 plinter on can





NAVY TEST PILOT SITS IN THE LOCKHEED POGO

NEW U.S. AIM IN THE AIR

Straight-up flying is tested and a new fighter plane is unveiled

In building airplanes that can travel nearly twice as fast as sound, designers of military aircraft have reduced wing areas so greatly that some experimental planes need runways miles long to get off the ground. This makes it impossible for them to take off or land on any but a very few existing runways.

The new U.S. fighter planes shown here reflect an effort to meet this problem. A revolutionary attempt at solution has produced the Navy's two Pogo planes built by Convair (top, opposite page) and by Lockheed (below). Not yet flight-tested, they are designed to take off hy going straight up. The Pogos depend on contrarotating propellers powered by turbo-prop engines to lift them vertically until they attain enough speed for the wings to support level flight. The Pogos land as they take off—

on their tails, their descent braked by their propellers and the landing cushioned by hydraulic shock absorbers in the tail. If successful, the Pogo would need no runways and would be admirably suited for ships.

Meanwhile the Air Force is ready to put into production a tested plane, the F-102 (bottom, opposite page), an all-weather, day-night interceptor which is slated to be one of the nation's prime defenders. Built by Convair, the F-102 has a 39-foot delta wing, which sweeps back sharply enough to allow supersonic speeds, yet has enough area to lift the plane into the air within the limits of all military runways. It is powered by two J-57 jet engines and after being directed to within range of its target by ground radar, it fires a guided aircraft rocket which travels a half mile a second.



LOCKHEED POGO, which has more conventional wing and fusciage design than Convair's Pogo, sits on its tail at the Navv air base at Muroc. Calif. The plane can also take off horizontally, which it will do for safety in its first tests.







IN FLIGHT, quarter-size scale model of Lockheed Pogo takes off vertically (bottom picture), fires up in hangar, then starts to level off (top picture).

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detected with an oximeter. All of these machines, jointly called a Physiograph, send their signals electronically to a master recorder on which pens trace the results in easily compared patterns. The other instruments shown can be used for additional studies. Usually such analyses would involve a score of tests done lengthily at separate times in separate places. The Physiograph is therefore particularly useful for the examination of sick people who cannot or should not be moved about much. The three men who developed it, Drs. William Spencer (rear), Hebbel Hoff (foreground) and Leslie Geddes of Baylor University, are using it primarily to watch the respiratory, metabolic and circulatory effects of poliomyelitis at the Southwestern Poliomyelitis Respiratory Center in Houston.



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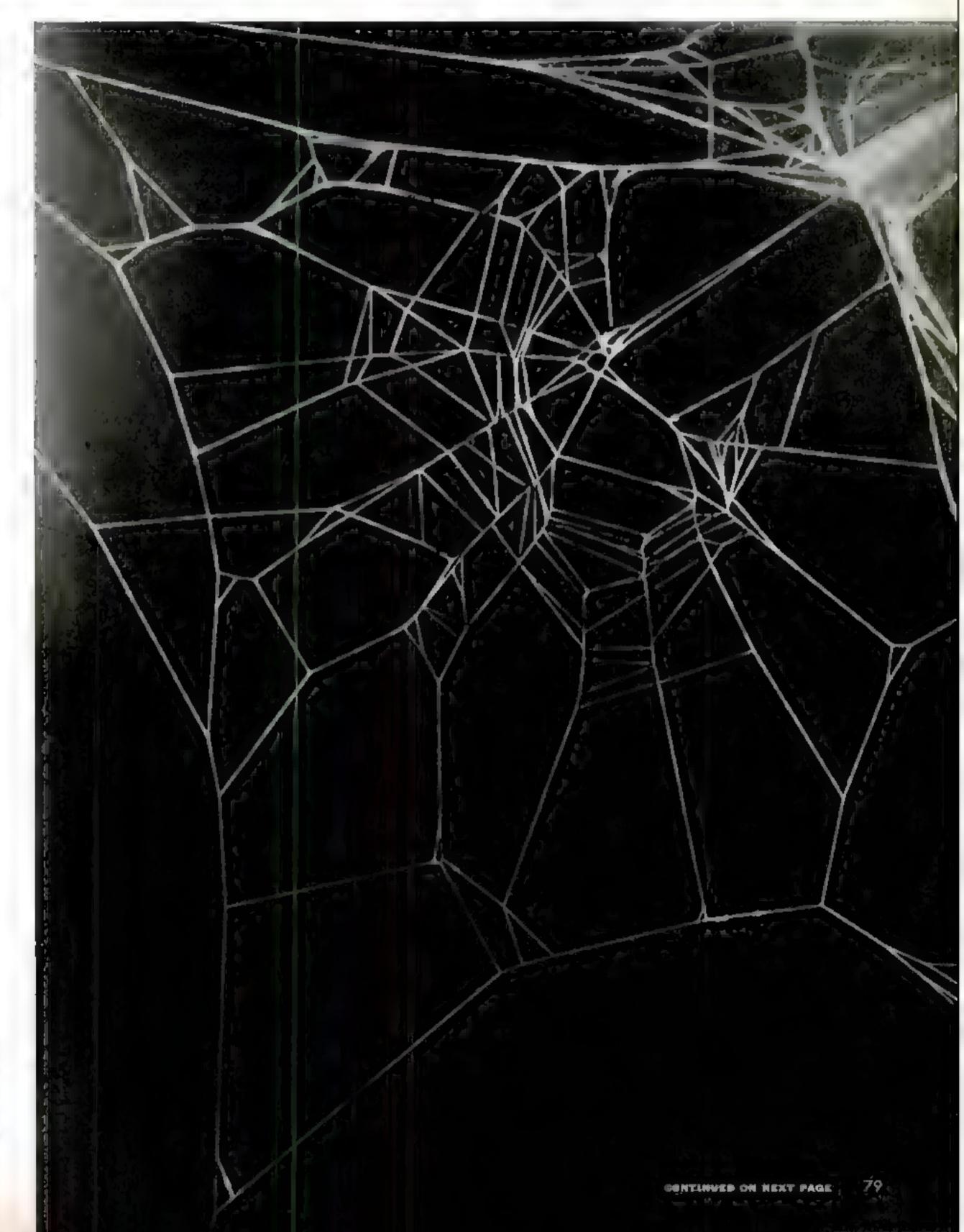
SPIDERS SPIN IN DRUG STUDY

They build strange, significant cobwebs under influence of dope

Scientists have long found spader webs as serviceable as they are beautiful. Astronomers use web threads in their telescope sights and engineers use strands as crosshairs in range finders and transits. A young Swiss pharmacologist named Peter Witt now uses colowebs as drug analyzers. He has discovered that if a spider is doped, it will spin a cockeyed coloweb. Different drugs apparently affect different parts.

of the mumal's nervous system so that the abnormality of the web pattern will differ characteristically with the type of dreg swallowed by the spider, as shown in the pictures on these pages. Dr. Witt uses these old nets as a quick, sure way of identitying drags and says that the spider method is far easier than the claborate chemical analyses usually needed to differentiate between closely related drugs.

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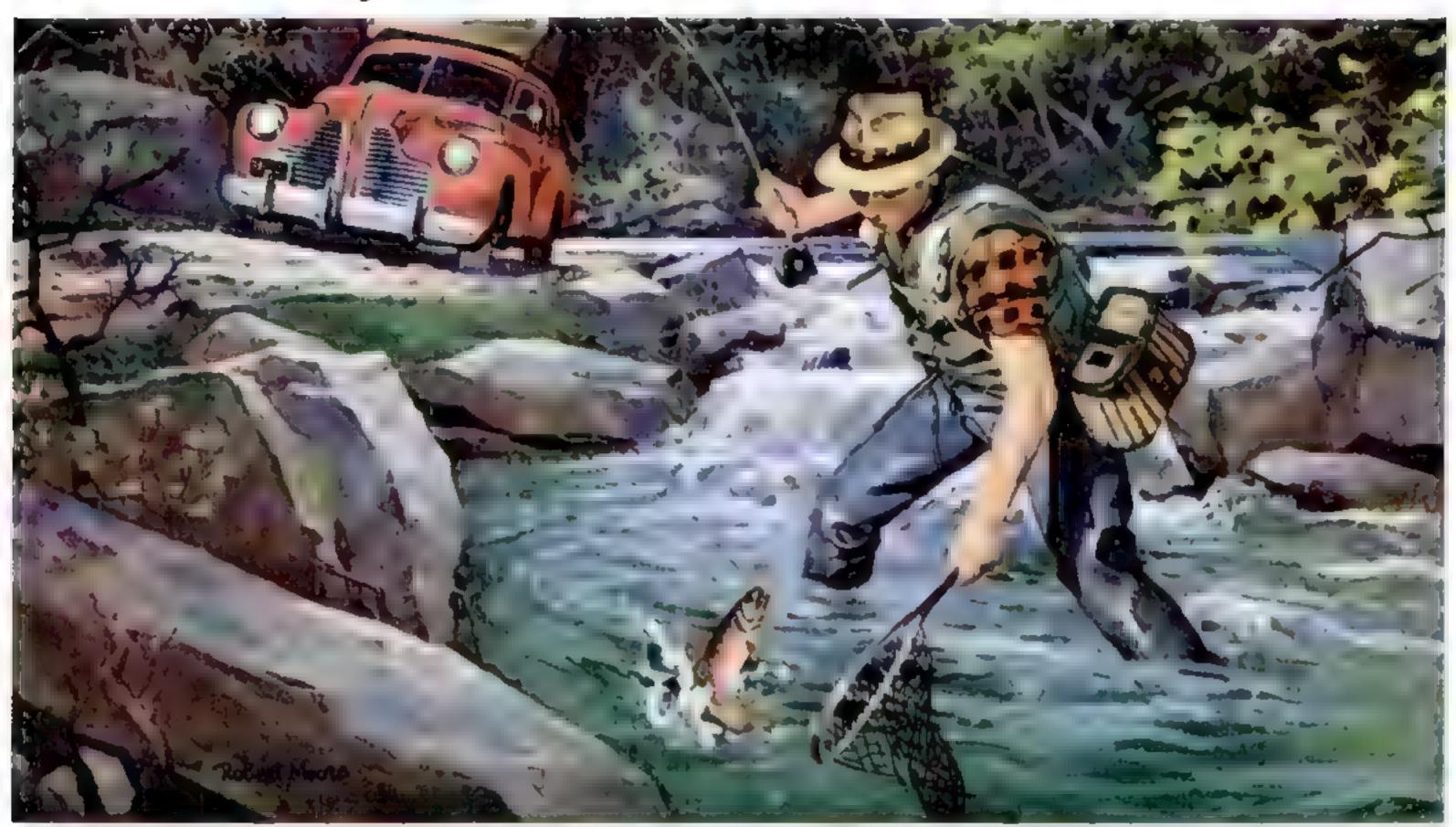
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the stimulant that it cannot coordinate. It weaves back and forth at one end only, laying down too many strands there but not completing whole net.

"I'd drive anywhere to fish" says Richard L. Carlton of Oakland, California



"Way back in the mountains I found a fisherman's paradise. The trail was full of rocks that scraped the oil pan of the car. But my Atlas tires came through without even a scratch. They must be made of elephant hide!



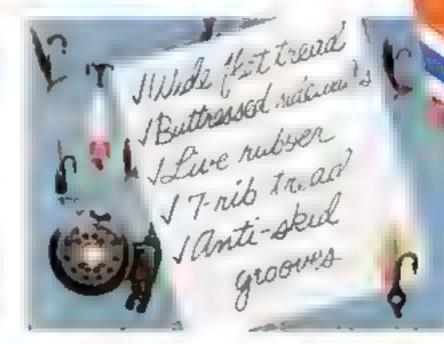
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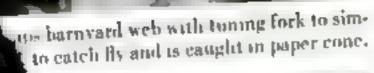


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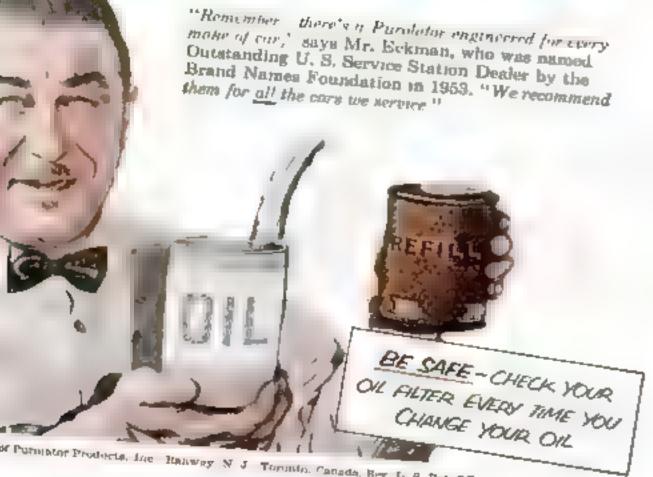
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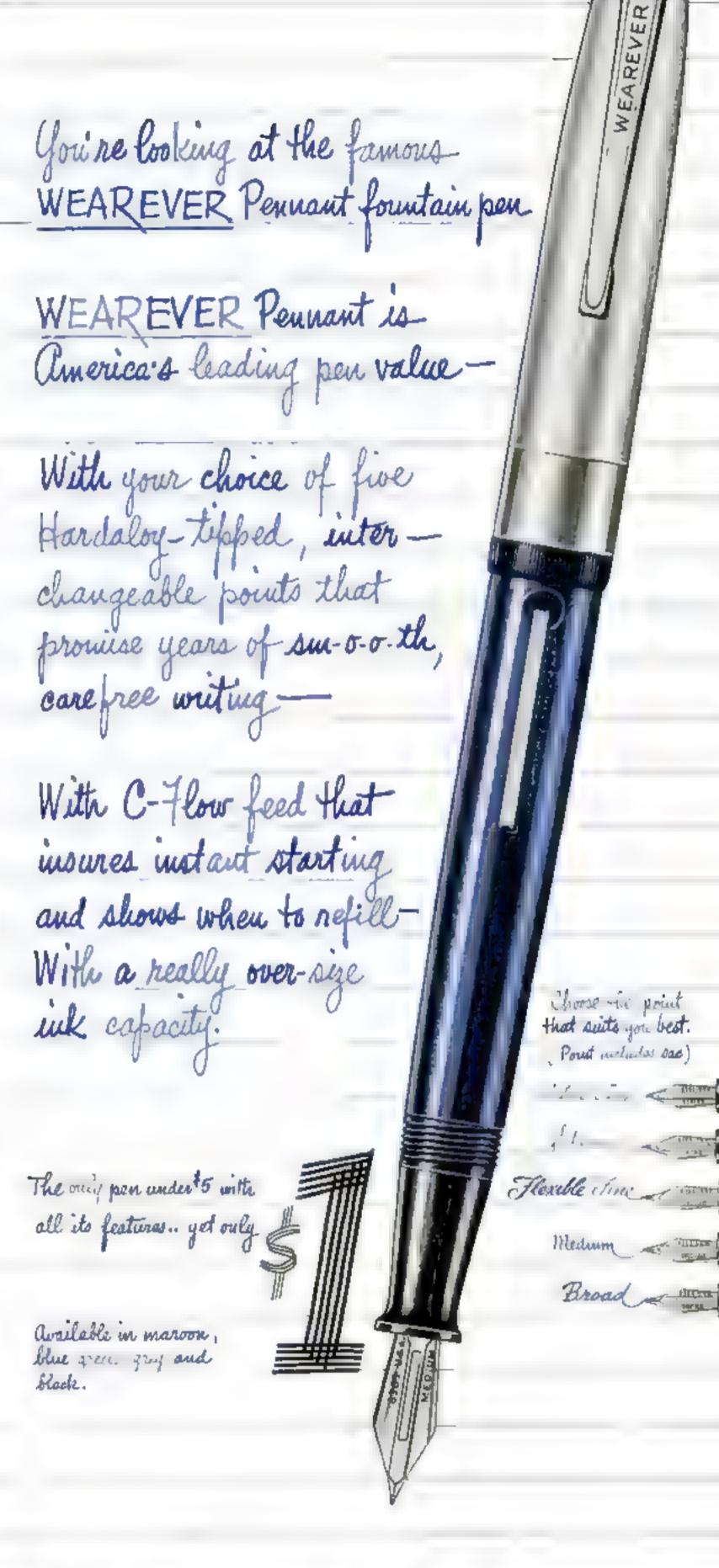


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FORCED FEEDING is achieved with drugsful 1 stringe (top). Mistaking the needle for trapped insect, spider studies to it (bottom), drunks drop of dr. ...



NATURAL FEEDING is accordished to filling abdomen of dead fly with sweetened drug fluid, placing it a edge of web. Spader will gorge on the bast



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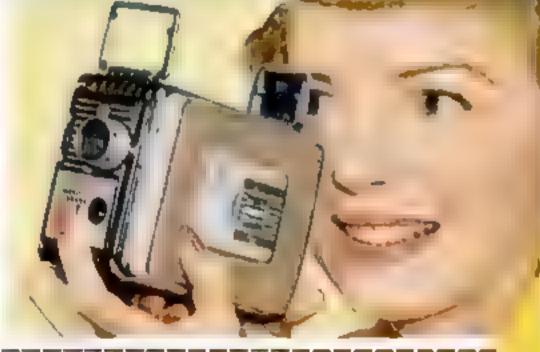
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9:00 PM "SCRAMBLE!" Pilot runs to his walting plane as radar warns of practice "attack."



9 03 PM IN THE AIR Bip," upper left on scope, tells where intruder is, how to reach him



9:051/2 PM GETTING CLOSER. Despite fast moneuvering of target, plane steadily closes in.

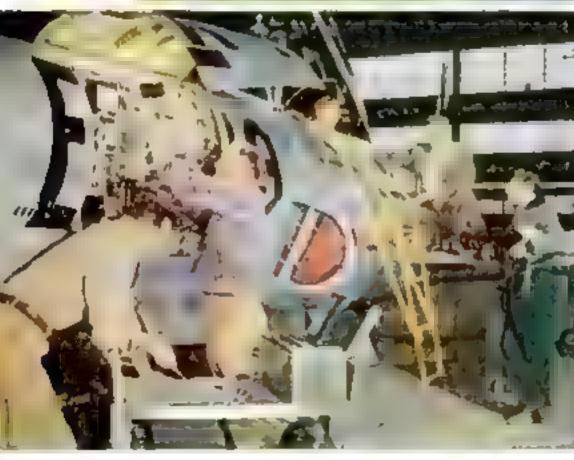


9 06 PM FIRE! Guns go off of the exact moment. Plot actually may never see his target



ENGINEERS AT G-E FLIGHT TEST CENTER

use a fleet of 8 to 10 planes of all types to "wring out" intricate aircraft equipment. Advanced designs thus obtained will aid commercial aviation as well as the Armed Forces.



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"FLYING LAB" in B-25 bomber, enables G-E engineers to keep a close check on electronic instru-ment performance under actual flight conditions.



NOT A TV AERIAL, but a test boom, this odd-hooking piece of test equipment helps General Electric engineers study aircraft pitch and yaw in flight.



9:04 PM "CO-PILOT" TAKES OVER. Blip is now in center of scope, place is an proper course.



9:05 PM WITHIN RANGE. Second blip in upper right moves downword as plane gets class.



HITI Camera guns show that anemy would have been destroyed in case of actual attack.



OUT OF DANGER. "Co-pilot" in control, plane banks away. Pilot takes over, heads for home.

HOW ELECTRONIC "CO-PILOT" FINDS, FOLLOWS, HITS JET TARGET IN 6 MINUTES

An automatic detection and interception system for jets is one of many new defense items being studied at General Electric's Flight Test Center

Seconds after an air warning sounds, today's jet pilot can be in his jet interceptor and roaring "upstairs." Once airborne, his radar scope will tell him where the enemy plane is, how fast it is traveling, what its course is — and if his plane can intercept it. With a few rapid adjustments of the dial, the pilot can turn over his controls to the General Electric automatic detection and interception system. This "Copilot" guides his plane, intercepts the attacker, locks on target, fires guns and then wings his plane out of danger. The whole interception can be completed in just six minutes.

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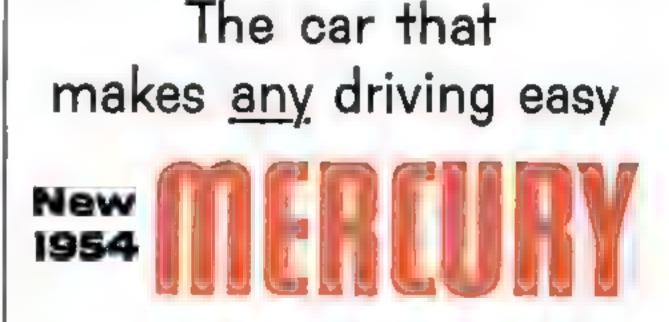


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21-YEAR-OLD KING FAROUK POSED AT HIS DESK IN ABDIN PALACE IN 1941

Fun in Farouk's Palace

RATOFF MAKES MOVIE THERE BUT DENIES IT IS ABOUT THE EX-KING

Abdutlah the Great is a movie that is now being made about the life of a fat, soliish, vain, children, dissipated and very rich monarch who loves gambling, cating and women, and rules irresponsibly over the mythical country of Bandaria. Gregory Ratoff, the hearty Russian who directs the firm, also plays the role of profigate Abdullah himself. The scenery and

backgrounds through which he struts are historically authentic; they are the palace and yacht of ex-King Farouk, made available for the movie by the present Egyptian government which disposed him. Feature I in Abdullah are the current Miss Egypt and a number of her predecessors, Nevertia less, its producers insist, the film is not about former King Farouk.



TOUGH DAY FOR HIS HIGHNESS



CHILDISH ABDULLAH sprawls on floor a relativating ministers to play with a new electric frain.



GAMBLING ABDULLAH (above) orders alversary to bet his life and ust gift of a royal girl friend



SOMNOLENT ABDULLAH awakers in ex King Farouk's bed in his Ris el Tire parace at Alexa idria.

VAIN ABDULLAH examines new hanknote, says "Why the profile? I look much better full face."



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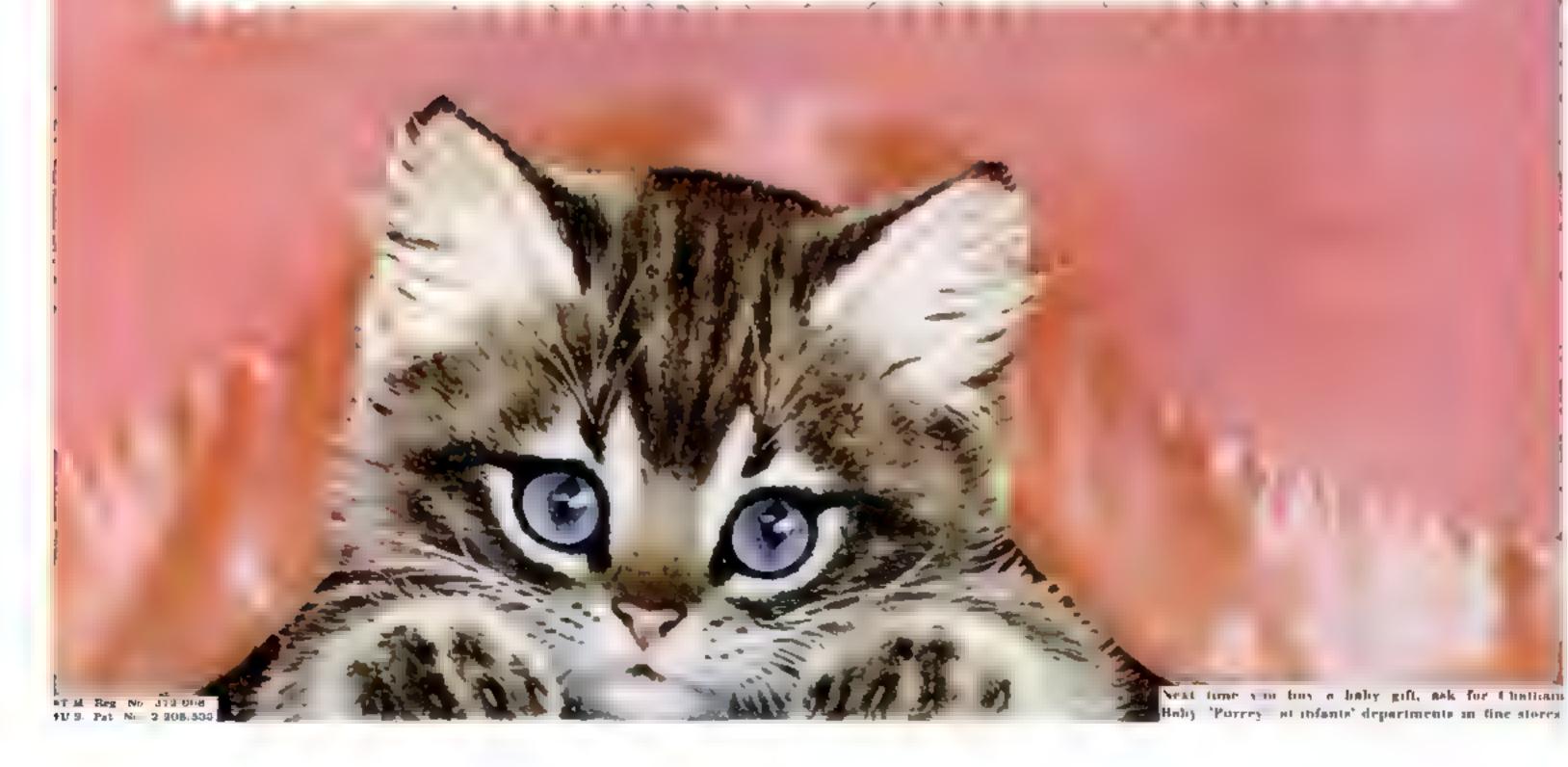
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LIFE ON YACHT VS. TWO YEARS IN BROOKLYN



ABOARD FAROUK'S YACHT, Mahroussa, Abduliah dines regally with Vicki (Kay Kendall), American model whom he has kidnaped from her hotel. Abduliah





SLEEPLESS ABDULLAH wanders into model Vicke's stateroom late at night, tells her not to be afraid. "I'm not afraid." she retorts. "Just slightly furious."



LUCKLESS ABDULLAH is evaded by his spry quarry as she jumps out of bed. She tells him she has just had two rough years in Brooklyn and Abdullah gives up.

Farouk's Palace CONTINUED

LOCAL GIRLS MAKE GOOD

If Egypt's deposed monarch Faroak were to return to his old palace at Alexandria from his present haunts in Italy, he might not recognize everything he saw. For example, Gregory Ratoff, who is vastly enjoying his temporary kingship as Abdullah, has had a real kingly throne made to replace the large, plain chair that Farouk used, and he has dismissed palace servants provided by the government. But the ex-king would probably feel quite at home among the small army of dancers and hopeful Egyptian starlets whom Ratoff has assembled for the amusement of Abdullah and his guests.



DANCERS have their navels covered by wardto be mistress, who complies with Egyptian censor ship by applying sequined tab before scene is shot

PALACE GUESTS of Abdullah (below) sit in ex-King Farouk's nester-lined Ras el Tin ballroom and watch three properly cladidancing girls perform.





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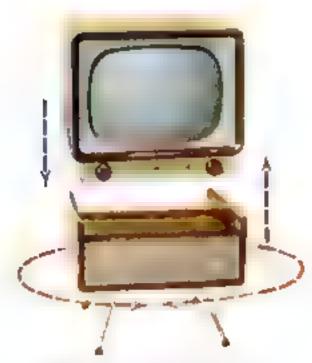
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A LITTLE, LONELY GENIUS

An 8-year-old boy with an I.Q. rating of 185 takes 10th grade studies in his stride

Brian Van Dale's first day in a Lincoln, R.I. school as a boy of 6 was near-disastrous. He was more restless than the other first-graders, then plain bored, and at last he simply picked up, ran from the room. "I don't like what they teach here," he told his mother firmly. It was Brian's last day in a public school.

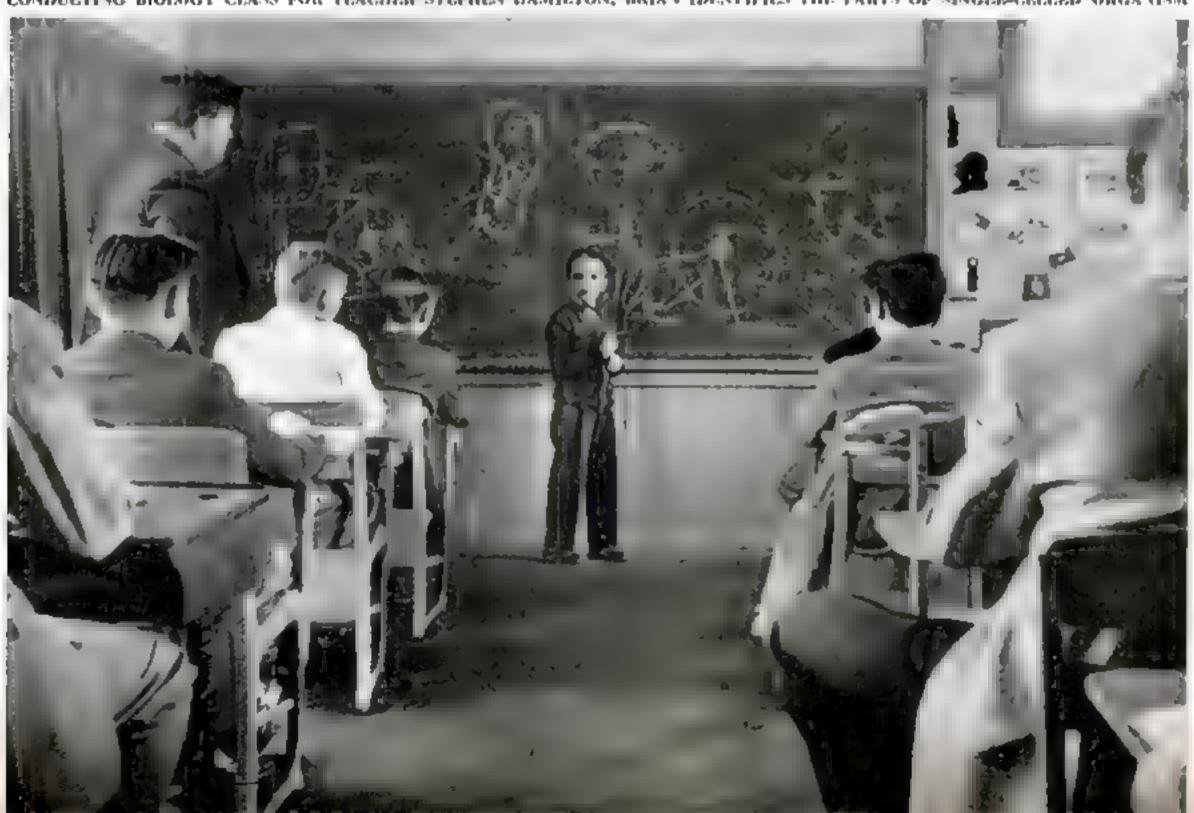
This was a predictable happening. Brian was 3 before he tried to talk, but when at last he found his voice he took to reading newspapers aloud. When he was 4 his parents came home one night to find the baby sitter completely unnerved. Brian not only had read her high school biology textbook when he was supposed to be sleeping, but he had become exasperated with her when she was unable to handle questions whose answers he had just learned.

Now with Brian's having rejected first grade, his parents

went up to Boston to consult a psychiatrist. Tests showed that the boy had an intelligence quotient of 185. (Genius is 140; Albert Einstein's I.Q. is estimated at 192.) The psychiatrist recommended special schooling, and today at 8 Brian is in the 10th grade of the small Hamilton Country Day School at Chartley, Mass.

His teacher expects Brian, who can think of two subjects at once and get both (above) and handle a class (below), to be ready for college by the time he is 10. But his parents—his father is a real estate man—are determined to hold him back, at least until he is 12. He will then be more mature because now, for all his brightness, Brian's mind has far outpaced his social development and he is still an 8-year-old boy who, along with being fantastically smarter than most, is inevitably much lonelier than most.

CONDUCTING BIOLOGY CLASS FOR TEACHER STEPHEN HAMILTON, BRIAN IDENTIFIES THE PARTS OF SINGLE-CELLED ORGANISM



LITTLE GENIUS CONTINUED



EXTING ALONE, Brian stays at desk to opin it is hinch as the older boys discuss advancent a burs,



PENSIVE PASSENGER, Brian bubbles into a corner of has during field trip to a nearby farm



STUDYING ALONE, while other boys play near horses. Being reads textbook on barn's littered step.



IN BURST OF ENERGY, Brian cuts sharp corner going around a stone walk at the farm. In his

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AFTER SCHOOL Brian plays near backyard barbecue at home in the company of his Teddy bear, to

whom he often reads from textbooks and to whom he shows (above) such prizes as bricks and a bone.

LITTLE GENIUS CONTINUED



CHANGING CLOTHES whole holding book, Brian permits his mother to slip his dungarees on for him.



AN INTERLUDE WITH BROTHER, who is 10, in fifth grade and reads comic books, gives Brian time to concentrate on a problem with construction blocks.

BEFORE BEDTIME, Brian stretches out on living room sofa, resting head in mother's lap as he reads half aloud. The book: Smallwood's Elements of Biology.

GREEK AND A TEDDY BEAR

Although biology is his favorite subject and he has an almost overwhelming interest in the study of living things, Brian is fascinated by inanimate objects. According to the psychiatrist who determined his brilliance, this means Brian is entirely at ease with his stuffed bear and building blocks and bricks because, unlike people, they do not interrupt his thinking.

With his capacity for concentration Brian has worn out two dictionaries at home and has learned the Greek and Hebrew alphabets. Having completed his high school physics course, he already is working on first-year college biology. To meet his needs the school permits him to finish off one subject at a time. Brian still writes in a childish scrawl, mostly because for a long time he used a kind of shorthand which he taught himself. Now, however, his teacher has put a stop to shorthand, feeling that Brian, as a 10th-grader, has to know how to write longhand, too.





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*For non-Lenten meals, try other condensed cream soups—like mushroom or chicken.



LIVERNOIS AVENUE FIGHTS BACK

NATION'S USED-CAR CAPITAL IS A SALESMEN'S CIRCUS AS THEY COMPETE IN A GLUTTED MARKET

by ROBERT MARTIN

THE truest harbinger of spring in the U.S. is neither the first robin nor the first crocus; it is a hopeful bounce in the step of the used-car salesman. His spirits always rise in direct curve to the amount of sunshine, so it takes just a few warm days in March to get the winter of his discontent out of the system.

On Detroit's Livernois Avenue, the used-car capital of the world, the Merchants of Obsolescence are walking more hopefully these days than in many a month. There was room for improvement. The winter they have just endured was, if not quite comparable to Valley Forge, at least a time that tried salesmen's souls. Moreover, it saw at least 15 summer soldiers among Livernois Avenue's 200-odd dealers fall by the wayside. What knocked them out was one of the worst used-car gluts that Livernois Avenue or the U.S. has ever seen.

The glut is still there but the survivors of Livernois Avenue are whipping it in the only way they know—by outdoing one another in shrewd, ingenious tricks of salesmanship, which make the avenue a daily salesmen's circus.

The avenue itself is as merry and gaudy as a carnival: seven miles of glittering used cars, flapping pennants, naked electric bulbs, garish signs, hokum, corn—and, in good times, profit. The men who run the carnival can outbark any circus spieler. They are hard-bitten businessmen in a uniquely American business. They have sharpened the art of bargaining to a razor's edge.

At Pappy's Motor Sales, whose \$5 million a year gross makes it Livernois' biggest retailer, they mention the caged bear which a hunter brought down from the Michigan north woods. Pappy's allowed him \$150 for a trade-in, displayed the bear on his lot for several months, then sold it to a zoo. Pappy's still holds title to 12 graveyard plots taken in exchange for cars.

Any dealer will readily accept diamonds as a trade-in; some have taken cameras, guitars, accordions and television sets. One dealer accepted a moose head and a grandfather's clock. Another once allowed \$20 on a hunting dog. Horses have been taken as down payment

for many times as much horsepower. Bert Baker, the grand old man of Livernois, accepted a load of pecans a buyer brought from Texas. One Livernois dealer even took in two badly smashed cars; instead of repairing them he arranged them on his lot to simulate a terrific accident. That, too, stopped the crowds. But the line has to be drawn somewhere. Charlie Howe, a small dealer, thought long and hard over the buyer whose love for a 1928 Model A knew no bounds but whose only worldly possession was a ventriloquist's dummy. Charlie finally turned it down because he doubted that he could throw his voice well enough to draw a crowd.

One dealer did not know where to draw the line. A year ago Dealer Clyde Headrick answered his telephone. "What will you allow me," the caller asked, "on a flying saucer?" Without batting an eye, Headrick demanded, "What model saucer?" When the caller explained that he had built the saucer himself, Headrick told him, "Bring it around for appraisal."

The next day Headrick heard a screeching of tires and a growing commotion outside his office window. He ran out to find a traffic jam surrounding a wooden ball, seven feet in diameter, with windows in it. Around its equator was a wide wooden platform like the rings of Saturn. The thing rested on a small four-wheel truck drawn by one man and pushed by another.

Headrick's reaction was instantaneous and accurate. Since the saucer had passed the Livernois test by stopping traffic on street and sidewalk, he made a fast proposition. He would allow \$400 toward a 1951 car in exchange for the saucer and the services of the owner, the services to consist of donning a space suit and standing beside the saucer in front of Northwest Motor Sales.

To the spaceman, it was a deal. Headrick got him a goldfish bowl to slip over his ears, a pair of deep-sea diver's lead shoes and a University of Michigan sweater with a large "M" on it to encourage the notion that its wearer was from Mars. During their appearance the Martian and his saucer drew thousands of spectators to the lot.



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"FLYING SAUCER," offered by its builder as a joke, was calmly taken as trade-in by a Livernois dealer who then used it as a crowd-pulling display.

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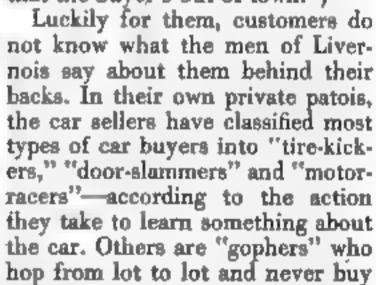
Display advertising of equal effectiveness would have cost Head-rick 10 times what he invested.

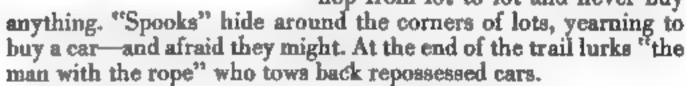
Unfortunately, Headrick could not maintain his business with

such brilliant reactions; he is no longer on Livernois.

The battle of the survivors rages on. On any day along Livernois Avenue, used cars with a total of close to a million horsepower await buyers beneath thousands of streaming pennants by day. At night they are lighted by 35,000 bulbs that throw a 7-million-watt glare for which the dealers spend upward of \$500,000 a year. A blinding welter of signs screams for attention with a rich mixture of extroversion, quasi-deceit and irrelevance. On one huge

sign Floyd Rick proclaims himself world's top trader. Another announces L. A. JOE IS HERE, stimulating the happy dream that the lot is buying for the West Coast market and therefore will offer more money. Several lots have had "out-of-town buyer" signs up so long that the buyer, if he exists, has had time to take out second citizenship papers on Livernois Avenue. (One customer who asked to be taken to such a buyer was told, "The sign means that the buyer's out of town.")





This Livernois lingo (see box p. 110) is a rich tongue, many of whose words—e.g., clunker, jalopy, crate and heap—have already passed into the language. But many of the special terms have gained little currency outside the used-car lots, principally because the salesmen do not use them when customers are around. These

include Livernois' peculiar classification of deals.

There is, for example, the "stage deal," which no Livernois dealer will admit using. In theory it comes into play after a salesman has sold a car on, say, \$50 monthly payments although he knows it will require at least \$65 to get financing. In Livernois lingo the customer is now "showing the car to Aunt Mamie." That is, he has it home, he is giving his wife and children rides in it, he is allowing the neighbors to congratulate him on buying it and he is generally letting himself be maneuvered into a position where he cannot part with the car lest he also part with his pride.



BEAR CUB was taken by Dealer Louis Grand as down payment.

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SALES PITCH begins as salesman appraises approaching shopper, Saul Forman, who wants to trade his Hudson on a new Ford. After looking the car over, second salesman deflates Forman's notions of value. "The interior is pretty messy," he says, "and those are pretty bad scratches on the trunk." He suggests that Forman's old car probably leaks oil, offers him \$200 less than he is asking.

When Forman questions his fairness, salesman brings a colleague (picture, third from left) who points out other defects, solemnly assures Forman no-body else will give him as good a deal. Forman's claims of higher offers elsewhere are politely but firmly questioned. "I won't give it away," says unhappy Forman, departing without a deal but nevertheless promising "to think it over."

LIVERNOIS AVENUE CONTINUED

Then the used-car dealer calls him and reports that the bank rejected the deal at \$50 and wants \$60. The buyer is so involved with his car that he agrees to pay a mere \$10 a month more. A few days later the dealer calls again, asks in an offhand way what the buyer intends to do about insurance. The buyer may have been under the impression that he had bought insurance with the car, but the dealer disillusions him quickly and announces that the cost is only \$5 a month more. Having gone thus far, the buyer usually agrees and signs the final papers, committing himself to \$65 a month.

Then there is the "tire-pump deal," which requires the use of "helium." A customer has set his sights on a \$1,500 car. Having only a \$400 trade-in, he is short of the one-third down payment. So the salesman, with the customer's permission, blows \$200 of helium into the price of the car, making it \$1,700 and the same amount onto the allowance (now \$600). Presto, he has more than one third and the deal is clinched.

A hypothetical salesman employing both Livernois tricks and terms might describe a deal thus: "This guy limps onto the lot with a dog that looks as if it's been around the world a couple of times—the kind of merchandise that has four maypops and usually dies at the next light. He centers on a rag-top with a stick that sells for \$1,900, then he asks five bills (\$500) for his piece, which is worth two-and-a-half at the most. We're willing to tire-pump it two more bills if he can find the rest and in the meantime he shows it to Aunt Mamie.

"Two days later he's back and he's really warm for the car—he likes the taste of champagne. He's found a hundred and a half under the mattress, which brings him to six hundred and leaves a gap of one. The bank won't take any more helium, so we tell him to put up the sticks [use his furniture for a loan at the finance company]. His wife comes down and when she hears her furniture is tied up she backs away four blocks. So we drive their old clunker around for them to look at and park it next to the convertible. By that time they're always ready to surrender and the deal is closed."

Such a salesman may be compassionate to the point of tears when a customer cannot raise the down payment. The salesman is the great-souled friend and financial adviser of all buyers. But the man who comes to him offering a car for sale finds a stonyhearted monster—a price-chopper in whom the quality of mercy is always strained. When someone drives up with a two-door car, he murmurs about needing four-door cars. Faced with a four-door, he needs a two-door. When an adamant seller refuses to lower his asking price, he is blandly reminded that more than 25% of the cost of the car was hidden in taxes and that the lot has no intention of picking up his tax bill. The seller is threatened with a dropping market. The dealer listens to the motor and shakes his head sadly. He looks long at a minor dent and mumbles about the car's obviously having been in an accident.

It is in his role of buyer that the successful Livernois Avenue salesman often reveals a gift for pure theater. He commands a range of emotions from towering rage to furtive conspiracy to bottom-less grief. The curtain rises on the drama when the dealer and seller are unable to reach an agreement. The seller wants \$800 for his car. The dealer wants the car but knows he can allow only \$700 for

it. The bickering has been going on too long. It is time for action. "Well," says the dealer to the seller, "I'll go in and get the boss. Maybe he can offer you more." He goes into the office, selects a "boss" (another salesman), whispers the background of the deal to him in a hurry and brings him out.

"I offered this guy \$700 for his car."

The "boss" looks thunderstruck. "You what!"

"I figured it was the best we could do."

"Are you stupid? Cars like that are going for \$600 up and down Livernois."

The salesman grows wide-eyed. "But I already promised this guy \$700."

"All right," says the "boss" in disgust. "All right. Give it to him. But let me tell you something. I'm making you responsible for selling the car and you better be sure you get more than \$700 for it or you're through," He turns, stamps into the office, and slams the door behind him. The audience of one for whom this little drama has been staged is usually deeply impressed and sells for the \$700.

On occasion it is necessary for the "boss" to "fire" the salesman for offering too high a price. This is sometimes carried to the extent of much pleading on the salesman's part because of wife and children and a promise never to offer such high prices again. But the salesman is "fired," whereupon he hides inside the office until the "boss" closes the deal and the customer has departed.

There is also a time for conspiracy. The seller wants \$800. The salesman knows the car is worth only \$700 to the lot. There is an impasse which apparently cannot be broken. Again the "boss" is summoned. After looking at the car with great care he offers \$650. The salesman pretends to be as shocked by this as the seller is. When the "boss" has gone back to the office, the salesman looks furtively about, lowers his voice to a whisper, and says to the seller, "That guy's getting old. He doesn't know cars anymore. I'll tell you what. If you're willing to sell the car for \$700 I'll write it up behind his back, but you have to promise not to tell anyone or I'll be fired."

He swapped his shears for horsepower

LL the razzle-dazzle of today's Livernois Avenue is the outgrowth of a single man's perspicacity. One day Bert Baker, a Detroit barber, bought a used car and on the very next day got a chance to sell it for a profit. After he bought a second car and sold this too for a profit, it struck him that his future might lie in horsepower rather than hair. When Baker cast around for a likely place to open a lot, he noted that the northwest side of Detroit was scarcely developed, and that not far away, in Dearborn, the Ford Motor Company was expanding, as were other automotive companies and their suppliers. The year was 1929. Livernois Avenue had come a long way since 1798, when Joseph Livernois Sr. and Joseph Livernois Jr. had taken title to a large plot of land and begun to till two farms. But when Bert Baker arrived, the street that had been laid out between the farms was still far out of town and gaping with large, empty sections.

It was land that, in Baker's own words, was rediculously cheap. He bought heavily. He set up his first lot at the corner of Livernois and Fenkell and soon started another at Livernois and Grand River.

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LIVERNOIS AVENUE CONTINUED

Later he sold the first one and concentrated on the second—Bert Baker's Big Lot, comprising five acres. It became the biggest used-car lot in Detroit.

Baker's plan of action was simplicity itself. Having acquired all the land he could afford, he set out to increase its value. He established 20 competing used-car dealers by renting them parcels of his own land. Then he started a huge advertising campaign to let Detroit and the world know that Livernois was the used-car capital. His slogan was "You got \$50? I've got a good used car." Everybody in Detroit knew it. His business began to grow, and as Detroit turned to Livernois for secondhand automobiles, his competitors also began to prosper. More dealers were attracted, and with them came more advertising and more customers. By 1934 there were 135 lots on Livernois Avenue. Since then the original value of Baker's holdings has increased by a million dollars.

Nevertheless the terrible winter just past was a bit too much even for Bert Baker, who is 69. He sold out his big lot to Russ Dawson, one of Detroit's biggest Ford dealers, who found direct ownership of the lot a convenience in disposing of the trade-ins he takes in his new-car sales. This sort of tie-in is growing. Dawson's brother, Hi, another big Ford dealer, has made an arrangement with Pappy's (who traded the bear). But Baker, the grand old man of Livernois, has not exactly disappeared. He has taken a smaller lot to run his real estate business and sell cars in a small way.

GLOSSARY OF LIVERNOIS LINGO

BUM -an ex taxicab.

CREAM PLFF—a car of any age that has had little use; also called "show piece."

DOG—a late model that has been marred, dented, scratched and generally kicked around.

COPHER-a visitor who hops from lot to lot, never buying.

HEAT and MUSIC—a heater and radio in the car.

HELJUM—used in tire-pump deals (see below).

MAN WITH THE ROPE—he comes to tow the car away when the payments aren't kept up.

MAYPOP—a tire that inspires no confidence.

MIXMASTER—an unusually noisy car.

ORIGINAL—car with original paint, tires, etc., still in good condition.

RAG-TOP—a convertible, also known as a "straw bat." ROLCH—a car with evidence of collision.

SHARP—a car with many accessories such as grill guards, white sidewall tires, bumpers on the humpers, etc.

SLICK—a well-cared-for car but not quite a "cream puff." spook—he hides around corners, wants to buy but fears that he might.

STICK—automatic transmission.

STRAW HAT—convertible, so called because tops wear out first.

THE-PUMP DEAL-raising trade-in allowance and asking price correspondingly so customer can meet required one-third down payment.

Oldtimers grinned. "If Bert wasn't selling cars," they say, "he'd be lonely "

Bert has been displaced as champion by Pappy's, full of new steam from its deal with Hi Dawson. The mainsprings at Pappy's are two tightly coiled artists, Louis Grand and Yale Simons.

Grand, something of an advertising genius, made the name Pappy as familiar to every Detroiter as his rhyme, "You'll be happy to deal with Pappy." He has provided all Livernois Avenue with lessons in how to attract customers. Shortly after the war he built the rabbit hutch that stands outside Pappy's office with the slogan: "Meat on the table and a car in the stable." He offered a pair of rabbits to all customers who would breed them for meat purposes and then return a pair. Today his rabbit business is slow, but he still keeps some in his hutch and a customer can have one for the asking.

Grand also instituted the custom of a free meal offered twice a day on Saturdays in spring, summer and early fall. Wielding the spatula himself at a barbecue grill next to the sidewalk, he has fed as many as 300 people in a single meal. It was Grand who bought the baby bear. During a Detroit streetcar strike he acquired two mules and a coach and drove all over the city with big signs offering free rides. (The signs also mentioned Pappy's.)

Grand, who speaks several languages, has sometimes used foreign passages in his advertising. He once placed an ad in a Detroit paper in Turkish, and suddenly found himself entertaining a crowd of Turkish officers temporarily stationed at nearby Selfridge Field.

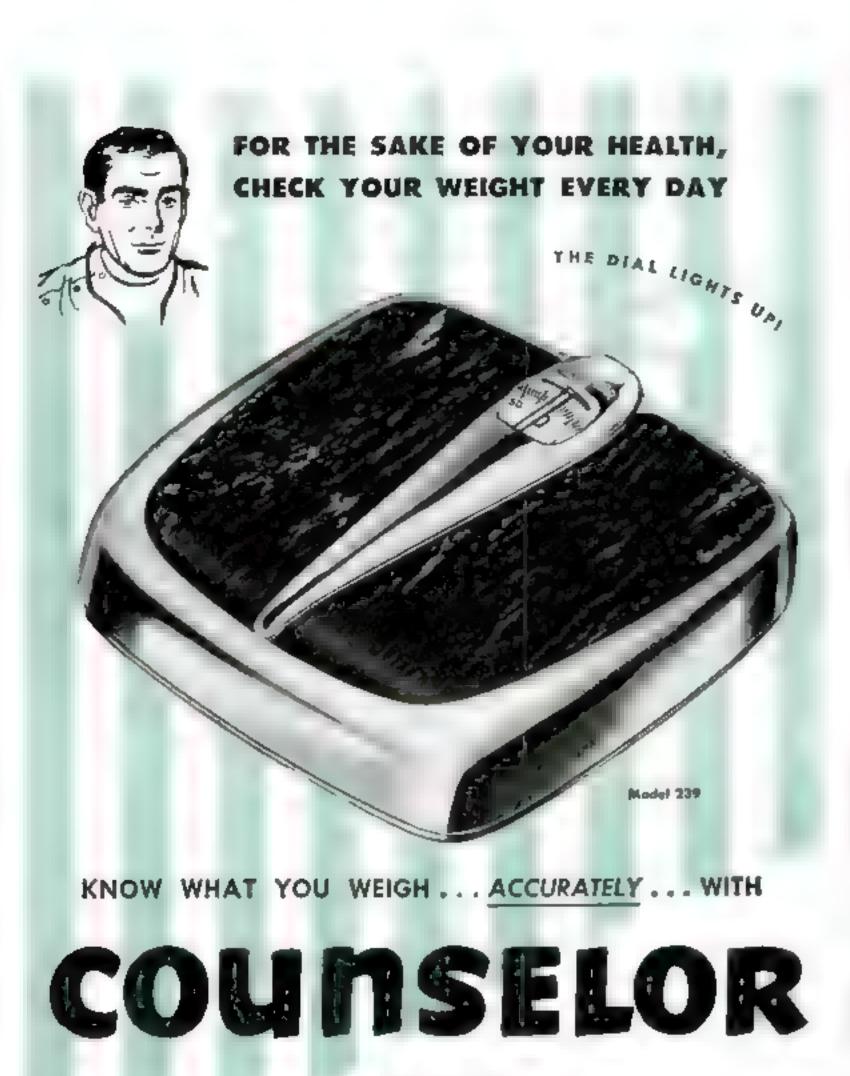


Recipe

1 Heat one can of your favorite condensed tomato soup with an equal amount of water.

2—Into the hot soup, spoon one 8-oz, jar of Kraft's Cheez Whiz, Blend well, Serve piping hot.





... THE SCALE THAT



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LIVERNOIS AVENUE CONTINUED

A man who loves the intellectual life, Grand is happiest when he encounters customers who can discuss French literature or mathematics, two of his favorite subjects., He once placed an adin a Wayne University student paper offering free advice to mathematics students in distress. Grand's partner, Yale Simons, also is resourceful in sales gimmicks. Currently he is offering analyses of character through handwriting.

Simons himself offers more tangible evidences of character than handwriting. In a business once notorious for sharp practices,

Simons, the business manager of Pappy's, has done much to improve its ethics. Even during the gouging and chiseling of the great car shortage at the end of World War II, Simons observed a "golden rule" policy under which any dissatisfied customer could get a full refund or another car during the first 48 hours he used the one he bought. He once spent \$600 on a new motor, other repairs and train fare for a customer who bought a car from him and had the motor go dead near Chicago, though this was an extreme case. He has spent hours on the telephone at night to get batteries installed in cars he sold months earlier. He has even been known to acknowledge responsibility for defects that have shown up in cars sold a year earlier.



PIONEER Bert Baker got rich by spotting Livernois' potential.

But on Livernois Avenue in general, buyers must still watch out for nuances. When Cadillac Dealer Jack Gilbert had a 1948 Cadillac painted an overpowering pastel and placed it on a dais in front of his lot, he did not advertise that it had belonged to Sugar Ray Robinson. It was not his fault if the resemblance to Sugar Ray's job was so marked that the word spread anyway. Gilbert, who plays the piano and particularly likes Beethoven sonatas, regards all such human foibles with a benevolent tolerance. A philosopher in his way, Gilbert thinks he may have found one of the secret rhythms of the great, lusty, pulsing avenue. "Livernois," says he, "has a psychiatric function. A lot of people who come to see us are dreamers. Something tells them their ship will be in tomorrow, so they ask about a fine car today. They even offer us \$5, \$10 a week to hold a car. After they see us they go away happy. A lot of people come to see us for just one reasonthey're lonesome. What better place can they come to of an evening than a used-car lot? They know they have only to ask a question and someone will speak to them in a kindly way." Even, on a slow day, if they are gophers or spooks.



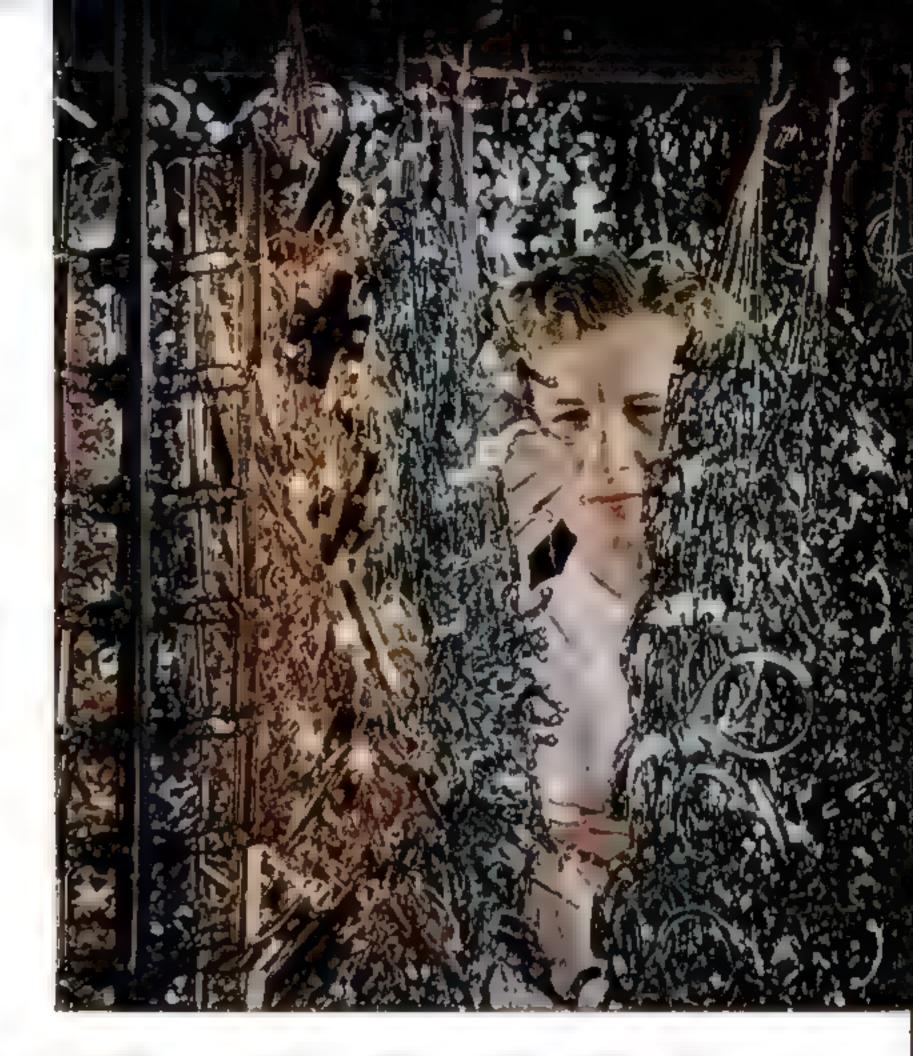
FREE LUNCH is offered by Livernois' biggest agency, Pappy's. Hamburgers and hot dogs are dished up in Saturday ritual to which small fry are welcome.







GLITTERING GEAR for fishing, parts of reels fresh from chromium bath, sparkle as they hang from wires at the Ocean City plant awaiting inspection.



SPORTING GOODS

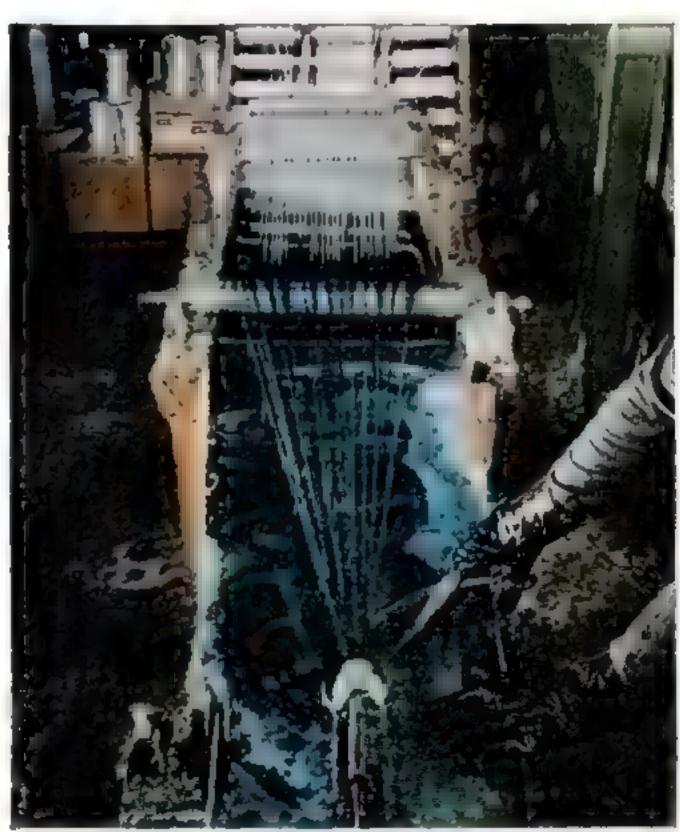
Color, new materials brighten billion-dollar business

PHOTOGRAPHED FOR LIFE BY ARNOLD NEWMAN

The U.S. sportsman has learned to expect nothing but the best in accounterments. The nation's fishermen, who are apt to blame their equipment rather than themselves when fish get away, are sparing no expense in keeping up on the latest lures, and in converting from bamboo to modern, mass-produced glass rods (right). Golfers, who will spend a record \$80 million this year, are fusspots and fanatics at arming themselves with the best implements.

The demands of American athletes are taxing the capacity and imagination of 800 manufacturers of sports equipment who make up a billion-dollar industry. Sewing machines hum amid gaily colored piles of satin and trim (opposite page), turning out 1½ million football, baseball and basketball suits. This year factories will produce 94 million pieces of fishing tackle, 36 million golf balls, 5 million baseball bats. In addition, they are accomplishing a small revolution by substituting light metals, plastics and synthetics for steel and wood. On these pages LIFE presents a study of items in the making and a dream-catalog view of the newest finished products.

GAUDY GOODS convert Rawlings factory into rash of color. Every uniform, basketball in background and football in foreground, must be made to order.



GLASS THREADS GET A PLASTIC DIP ON THEIR WAY TO BECOMING A FISHING ROD



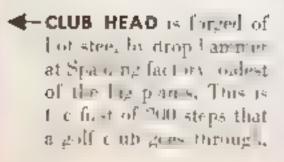


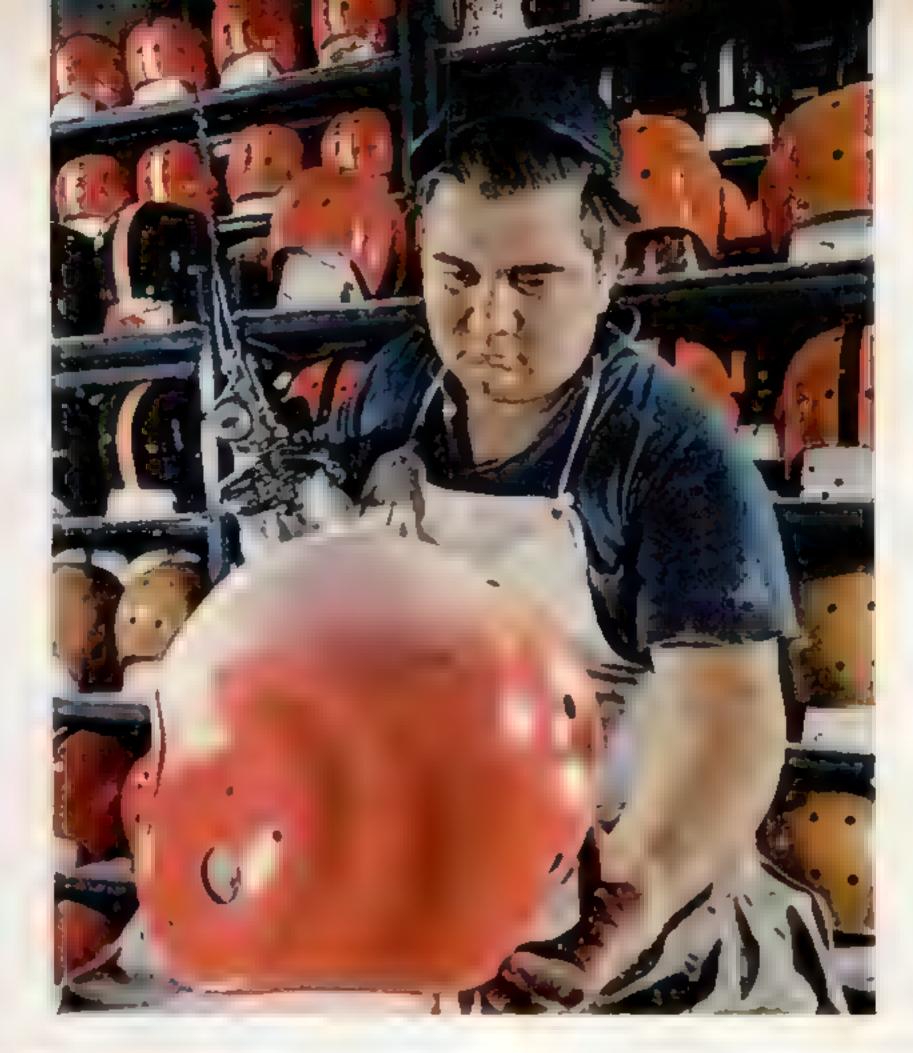
Wison pant stand ready for hipment Workman laces a football while an other is automatically inflated at his right elbow





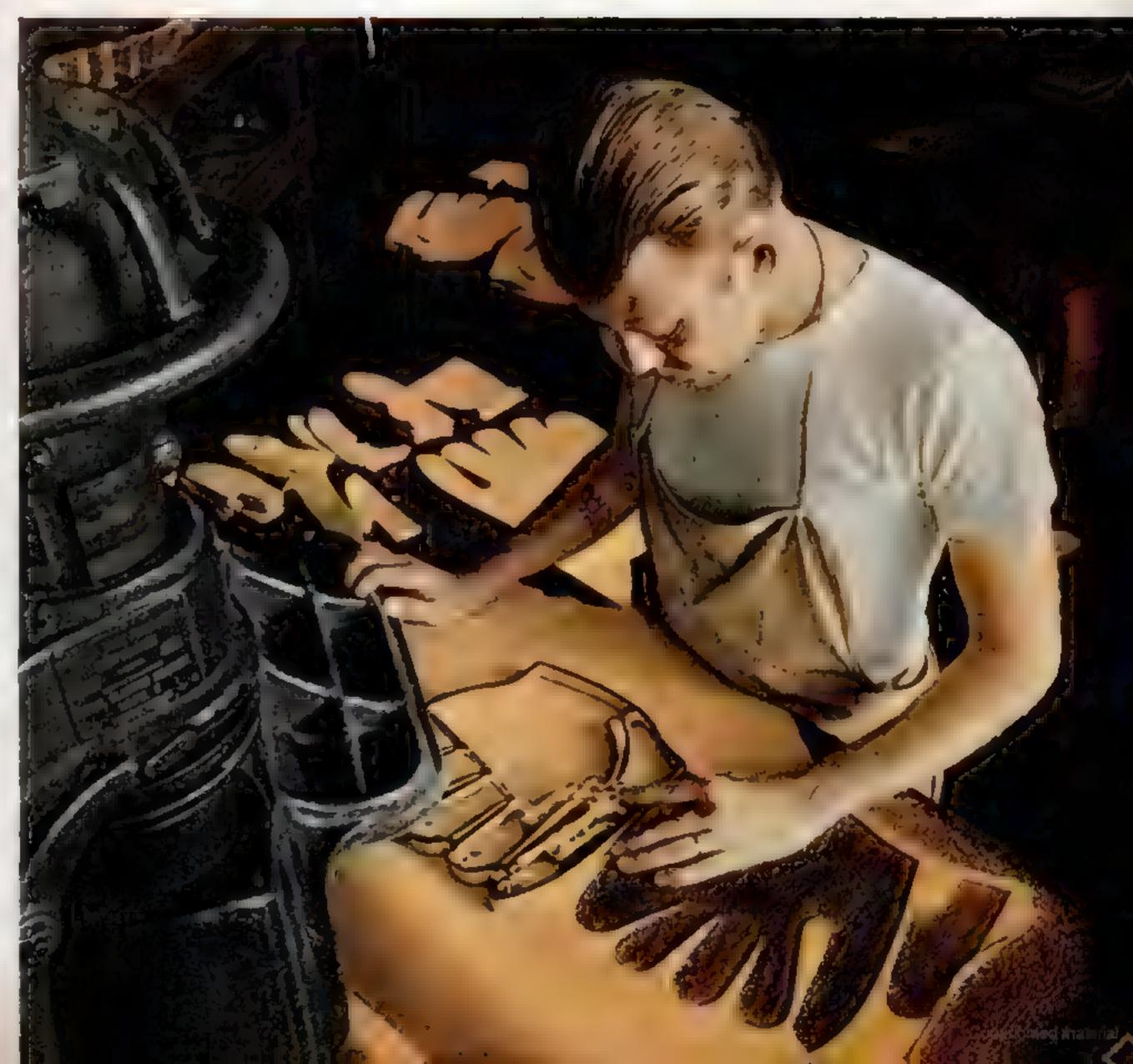
GOLF CLUBS, tagged and sorted accoroning to size, weight and inner, collect at end of Wilson's golf asset to line It can produce 18 000 cobs a week



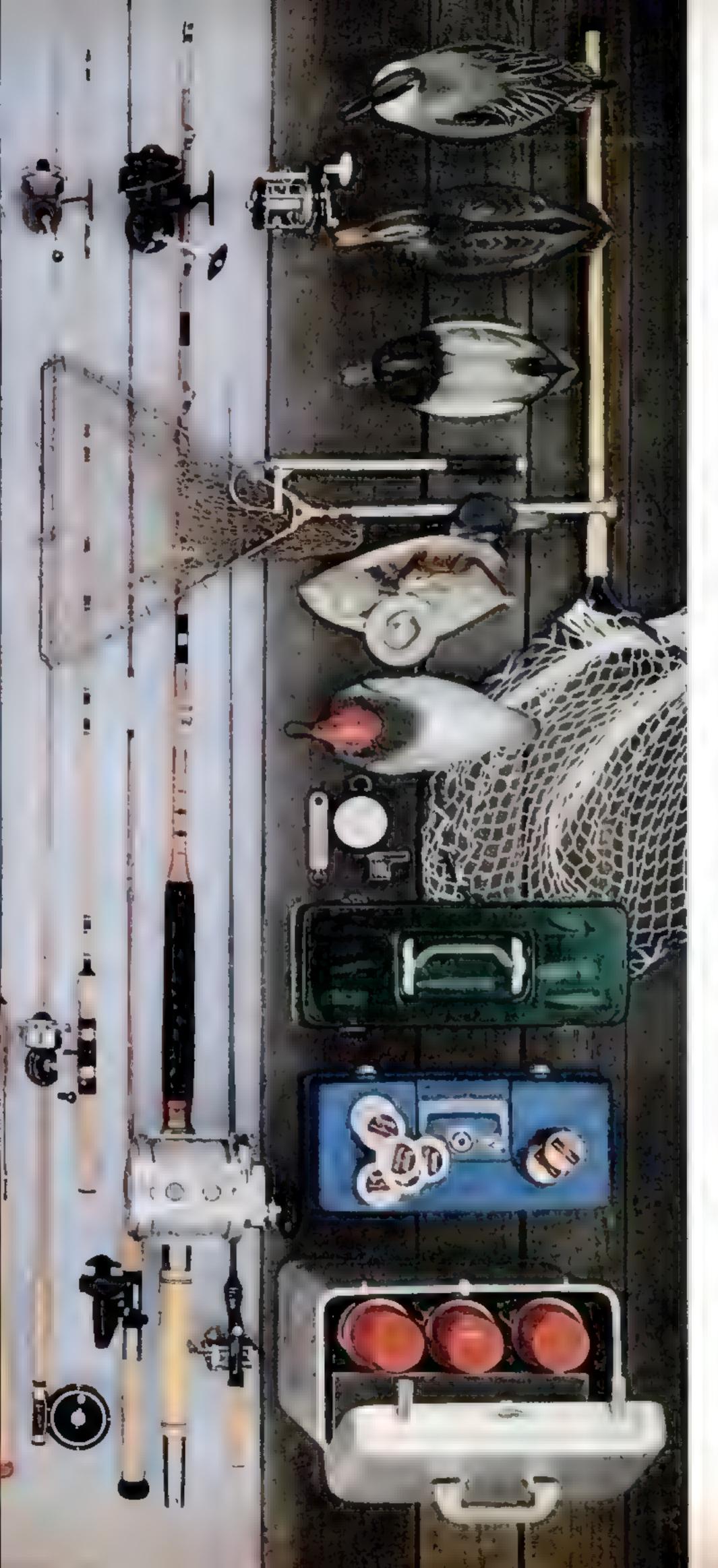


HELMET at Rawlings is spray-painted in vast variety of team orders. On shelves in the background are other teams' headgear done earlier in the day.

shirt as machine stamps out one side from rew lade at Rowings plant. An average lade yields posts for 2 2 complete gleves.







LURES FOR BOTH THE SPORTSMAN AND HIS QUARRY

Fishermen and hunters together make up the biggest sporting group in the country. This year they will buy \$350 million of equipment. The eye-catching display catalogs the latest models in fishing and hunting gear.

FISHING

Manufacturers of fishing tackle confess that dazzling new lures are created more to catch fishermen's eves than fishes. The inlay at low-er left, a sampling of what anglers will pick and choose from in 1954, ranges from Heddon's "Jointed River-Runt Spook" (\$1.50) in left lower corner to the Atom Mfg. Co.'s large triple-hooked salt water lure (at upper right, \$2.35). Mahogany case has a deluxe assortment of Orvis trout flies in upper portion (\$24) and salmon flies, in lower part (\$115.50).

All rods are glass except Orvis bamboo spinner (\$65), third from right, with Orvis "100" reel (\$28.50). From left: Shakespeare fly rod (\$49.50) and automatic reel (\$11); Southwestor casting (\$11.95), with Pflueger reel (\$35); "Whirlaway" spinner with reel enclosed in bulb-shaped handle (\$25.95); Airex surf rod (\$13.50) and reel (\$28.50); Heddon fly rod (\$50), Pflueger reel (\$10.75); Airex spinner (\$19.95) and new "Aristocrat" reel (\$23.95); Orvis bamboo: Tycoon big game rod (\$205), Fin-Nor reel (\$595); Horrocks-libbotson casting rod (\$10) with Pflueger "Skilleast" reel (\$11.75). Reels at top of panel are all spinners except the Ocean City surfcaster at right (\$35). From left: Ocean City (\$19.95); Walted solid nylon (\$13.50); Heddon (\$25); Luxor (\$29 95); Luxor heavy duty (\$60).

Scotch, triangular collapsible landing net (\$20.50) comes with matching telescopic gall (\$19.50) and at right is "Land-'Em" nylon net (\$5.80). To left are angler's scale and thermometer and barometer. Tackle boxes are transparent Plexiglas (\$32.50) and Ocean City's blue Fiberglas (\$12.50). In corner is aluminum waterproof yachtman's lunch kit (\$65).

HUNTING

The duck decoys at top left and top right made by Fairfax (\$34.90 a dozen) are hollow plastic. ride high in water simulating a duck's natural motion. For handier decoys there are collapsible rubber "Deeks," fourth from top on right panel (\$10 a dozen), which inflate on contact with water. The guns from top: Marlin's new "Micro-groove" hore .22 rifle (\$28.70); Winche-ter's showcase Model 21, a double-barrel 12-gauge gun inlaid with gold (\$1,747.90); Winchester's "21" for experts only, specially chambered for 20-gauge magnum loads (\$370): self-opening, 12-gauge double-barrel made by Boss of England (\$1,575); a Boss same as above but with "over-and-under" barrel arrangement (\$1,900); Remuigion's new slideaction, repeating 30-06 game rifle (\$119.95); Winchester's "featherweight" 30-cabber game rifle with aluminum buttplate and trigger assembly (\$120.95). At bottom of page is the first autoloading 28-gauge shotgun, with ventilated rib, a target gun by Remington (\$191.10). Shells include Robins, made in Holland with red transparent plastic casings (\$5, box of 25).

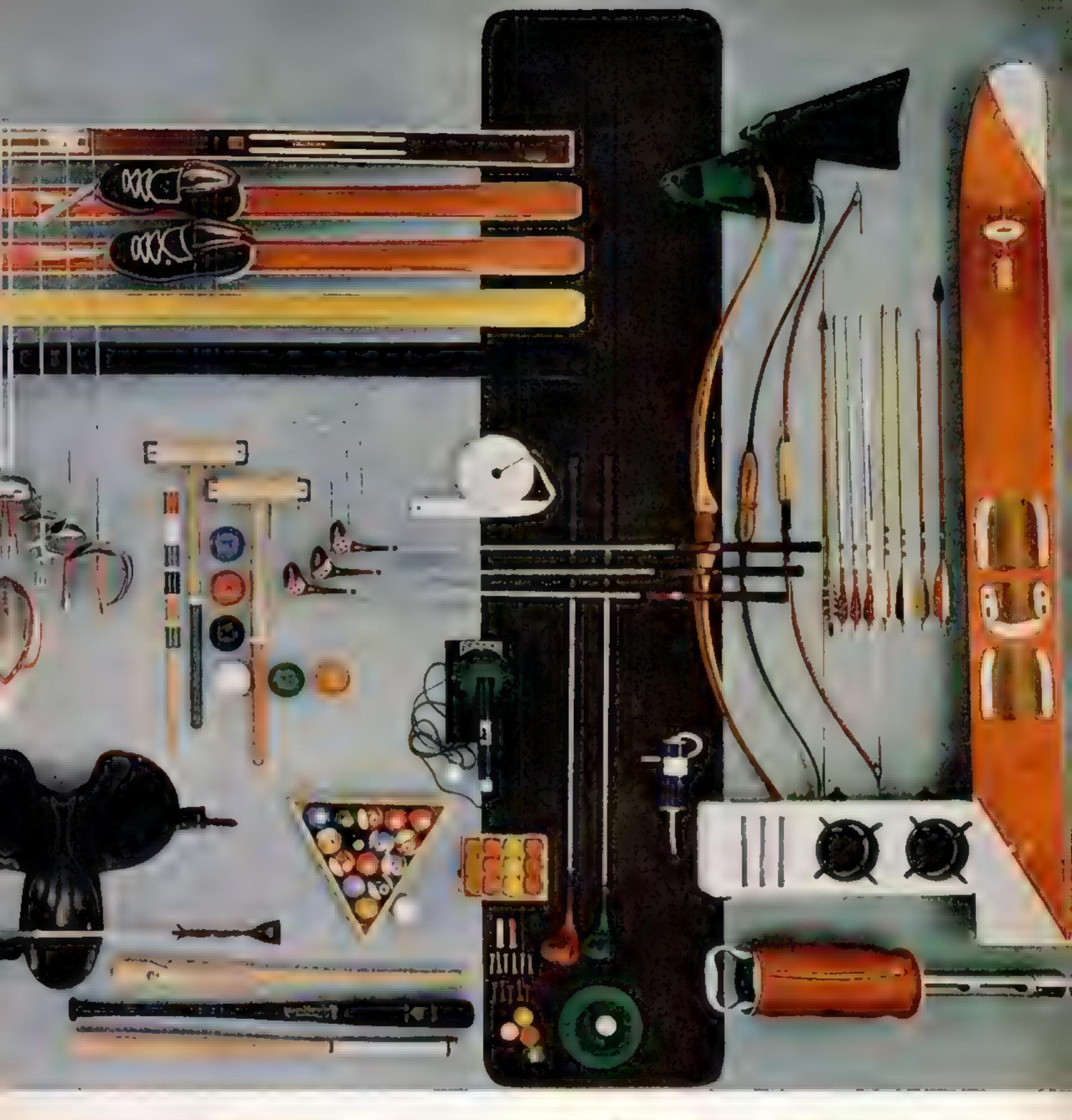


NEW COLORS AND NEW MATERIALS FOR OLD STYLES The bright colors that manufacturers are using to make routine items more attractive are almost as varied as the new materials which go into them. The bizarre basefull gloves at far left above, made by Nokona (\$11.50), are not big league but the colors fascinate small fry. Phiorescent golf balls (\$10 a dozen), right of plastic pocket billiard balls (\$44), make twilight play possible, while Arcaro's black plastic saddle (\$120) and glass whip (\$14) are replacing conventional items.

HELMETS AND MASKS

The football helmets from top left are Rawling's plastic (\$19.95), MacGregor's leather type used by Notre Dame (\$26.50) and Nokos na's foam rut ber lined with inner plastic shell for Army (\$21.95). Below Nokona Lehnet is Marietta's plastic football face guard (\$3.25). Below baseball gloves are M. eGregor's magne sum catcher's mask (\$11.35) and Evertast's hoxing gloves for coular at (\$3.50). At left top of steel-bour Lebous artle (\$98) are linerglas beau-ball baseball caps (\$1.95) and below them shuffled card set with plastic disks and telescopic pushers (\$60). At right of tablestem spatials are rubber Locsi shoes, petern not true quoits ring and oxlon track snoes (\$16).

The Shot ob at lower left is hobsled with ski-type runners (\$219); Below beasled from



left are sportsmen's accessories: Norcleo's battery-run electric shaver (\$29.95), flash-lights and hand-warmers. Abercrombie & Fitch watches to tell vachtsmen the titles (\$80), fish-ermen, solunar periods (\$65) and racing drivers, speed and gas consumption (\$75). Knives range from multibladed 5wiss army models at top (\$20) to Helfritz anglers' unsinkables, Group of balls includes "Mineralite" bowling ball (\$27.95). Voit's rubter water pole in vellow (\$13.25) and all-rubber football (\$14.35).

SKIS AND SWORDS

Skis at top of center panel are top wood Stein Eriksen from Norway (883), the Attenhofer aluminum skis in red and vellow (869 50) and Head's scientifically engineered aluminum "sandwich" with plastic surfaces, steel edges and laminated fir core (\$85). Redesigned fencing equipment by Castello uses aluminum and lighter steels. Swords from left are: French type dueling sword (\$7.75). Belgian pistolgrip foil (\$5.65). French foil (\$1.45). Hungarian sabre (\$7.75) and below, new lightweight mask (\$5.25). At right of croquet set with plastic balls (\$27.50) is plastic tennis court tape (\$5) and special No. 5, 6 and 7 woods and (vertical) weighted warmup clubs for golfers (\$27.50 each). In angle of golf clubs on edge of Ben Hogan's composition

putting green (\$12.95) is Voit practice golf set (\$18.95).

GLASS FOR ARCHERS

Glass bows at right have helped rehuld archery. From left are wood, plastic and Fiberglas Eddings bow (862.50) and Stream-Eze's solid Fiberglas (\$54.50 and \$14.95). Below aluminum and glass arrows is Prepo camping stove which burns canned liquid propane (829.95). To left of stove is David T. Abercrombie Co's self-contained Katadyi, lifter-pump for pirifying water (\$25). At bottom is a "Bag Shag" for picking up golf balls (\$15). At far right is a double-foot slalom water ski (\$21.50).



THE LATEST GEAR FOR ACTIVITY ON WATER AND BENEATH IT

With sports fans changing more and more from spectators to participants, there has been a postwar boom in water sports, both on the surface and beneath it. Underwater swimming with Aqualung and spear lastinates not only the thousants who do it but those who would like to try. Window displays of "skin diving" gear (opposite page) are sure crowd-stoppers.

MOTORS

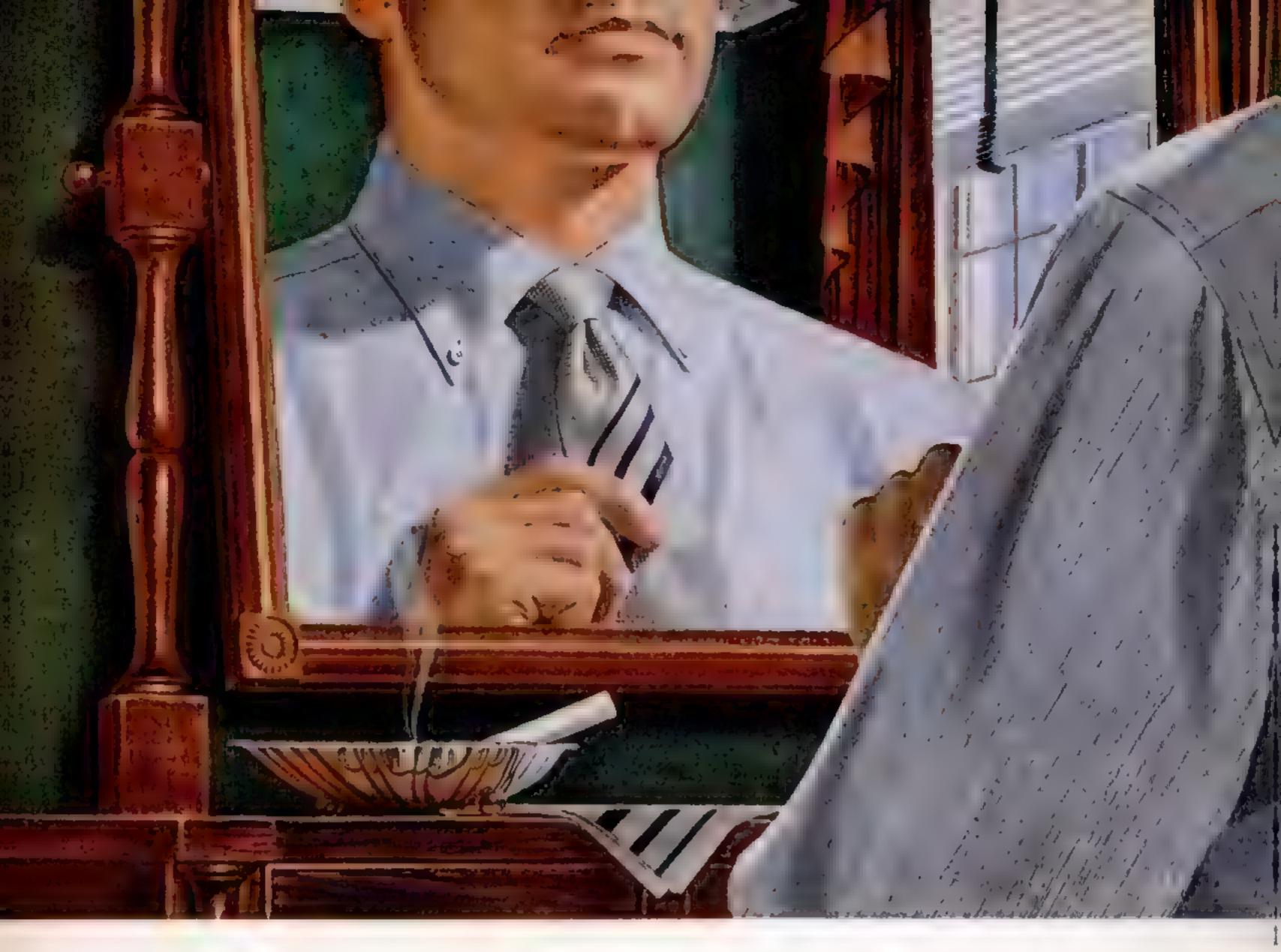
But the big boom has been in boats, with 310,-000 craft, from diaghtes to vachts, expected to be sold this year. Among the items on which boaters will spend \$780 million are the new, streamlined outboard motors shown above. The motors from top left are Scott-Atwater's 71 hp gold-domed "Bail-a-matic" (\$229.50) with built-in bilge pump, and to right of it in blue, the top of Evinrude's little 3 hp motor (\$14...25) and its big brother, shown full length a 25 hp job with an electric starter (\$504). Brown-topped Buccaneer at left is 5 hp fishermen's model (\$188), and next to it is Mercury's stubby, 25 hp racing motor (\$6.25.50) which holds hydroplane record of 69.7 mph. Black and silver cowling belongs to Martin's 452 hp model (\$183.25). Red ping in gas tank in center goes with Johnson's new, quiet 542 hp "Seahorse" (\$210). Accessories at left center show fancy brass ship wheel (Oluf

Mikkelsen Co., \$25), chrome ship bell (\$8), Northill's utility anchor (\$12) and a rest, selfpowered "Lattle Bull" megaphone (\$100).

SWILS

At bottom are parts of boat-making kit made by Roberts Industries (\$121). When assembled, it is an eight for a sailing pram with 14-foot mast using the upside-down green sail (Thurston Co.) which shows on each side of vertical white Fiberglas boat either ug IC-Makit Products, \$26). Dinghy sails in green, rett and blue are by Fairel ugh (\$30). In lower right corner, in blue and white, is a collar-type taking vest which night save a life for \$12.25.





How to give your mirror a lucky break

That guy in the mirror is You! Looks great, doesn't be? He should with that new Arrow TEX-WEST Short

HANGAVE is a fresh new Arrow shirting in a subtle surface-inte est texture. Choose blue, tan grav green, rose, pink or ve low in a wide selection of popular collar styles, \$5.00. That's the Sussex Button-Down above

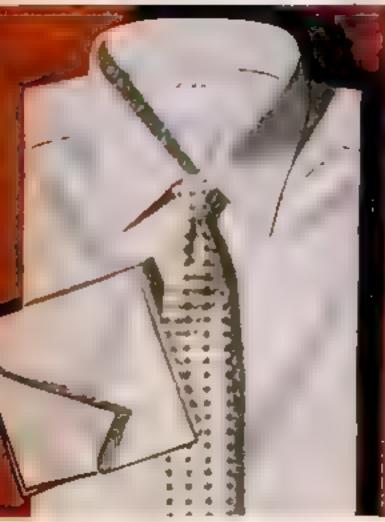
The Arrow tie is available in your choice of

colors tailored of a laxariors woven six repp, \$2.50 Looks as if it were made for that shirt doesn't it? It was? So is the hirmonizing "pocket square" at \$1.50

Arrow acetate ties, below, are also designed to harmonize with this ensemble, \$1.50 Handkerchiefs to match the shirts, 75% Why don't you take a look at the 11 x-wrayr ensembles. at your Arrow dealer's real soon?



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Shortest Yet in Night Clothes

BRIEF IN LENGTH, LONG ON LOOKS, STYLE GETS A START ON SUMMER

Inspired by the growing female practice of appropriating a man's old shirt or pajama top for wear as a sleeping garment, designers have now created chopped-off nightdresses which are as brief as any converted male apparel and a good deal prettier. The shortest yet in feminine night clothes, they come in loose comfortable styles and give the wearer an attractive long legged look. Usually made in opaque fabries, the garments

sometimes come tailored like a man's shirt but more often are trimmed with ruffles, lace and puffed sleeves. Unlike other recent lingeric fashions, these short gowns are intended only for the bedroom and do not aspire to the beach, the living room or the grocery store. Early versions of the new fashion are just beginning to appear in department stores, but the idea behind them is bound to be both sure fire and stylish for summer.

A message to mothers who hate to hurt their children

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Johnny runs to Mommy FAST!

He MUST have her "kiss away the hurt!"

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so glad he does! She knows BACTINE

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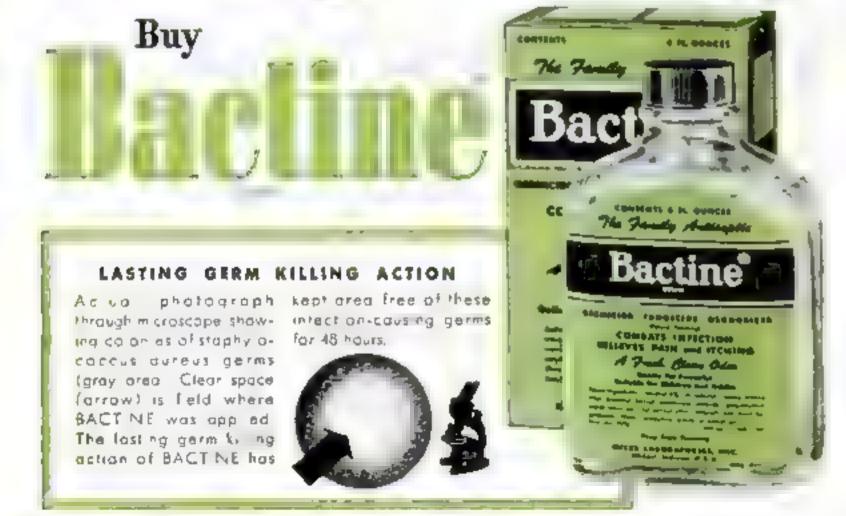
prevent infection... without leaving a single

stain on that tender skin! Yes, Mommy

and Johnny are both happy with

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MAN'S SHIRT with its long sleeves in Hutter have black as been fath fully copied in roomy style made of stope long blood (Jenn Newton, S. 9).



BABY'S DRESS with small round collar and lace ruffles looks fashionably adult in uvion crepe version (fris, \$15) which has matching ruffled pants.

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SAGINAW STEERING GEAR DIVISION, GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION, SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

SHORTEST YET CONTINUED



DANDA'S SHIRT with roifled coffs and floonce is made of daerylen (Laros, 89). It is embroidered with demure pink rosebuds in front, has slits at sides



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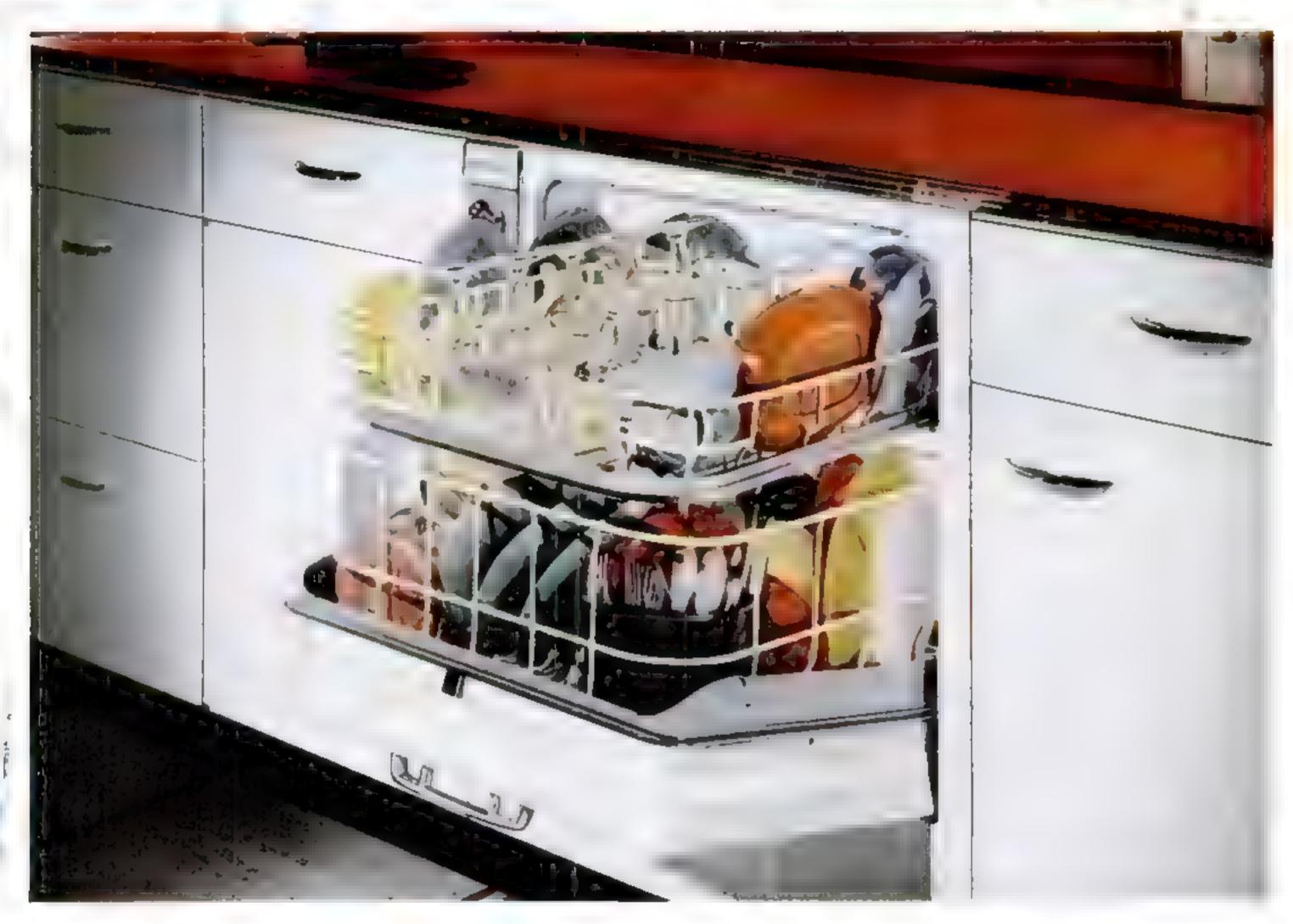
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SPELL OUT FUNNY NEW MOVIE

Danny Kaye, who proves his limber versatility for LIFE by spelling his own name gymnastically above, proves it with equally telling effect in the big coincidy ballet of a new Parantonnt Technicolor movie. Anock on U and An unnocent ventriloguist on the lain from the London police as well as from two coinciding international spy rings. Kaye pick—of all places, a theater to hide in. As his adversaries close in, he

naturally swipes the costume of the hapless premier danseur and falls on stage into the waiting arms of a flabbergasted hallerina. The ensuing fracas, a mirably staged by Choreographer Michael Krist, is one of the fundaction-stage chases since the Marx Brothers broke up Il Tronntore with a baseball game. As if this were not enough, Kave also plays an Irish tenor, an English car salesman and his own father

DISGUISED IN THE STOLEN GOSTUME OF A RUSSIAN FOLK DANCER, FUGITIVE DANNY KAYE LEADS ACROSS THE STAGE DURING THE RALLET TO EVADE HIS PURSUENS





BEWILDERED BUT GAME, impostor Danny Kave staggers under the oneypected load of a leaping ballerina. Kave's big problem in Knock on Il ood dance

number was to appear sufficiently convincing to his ballet audience so that he would not get caught, but it a louse at apier ough to amuse his movie public.



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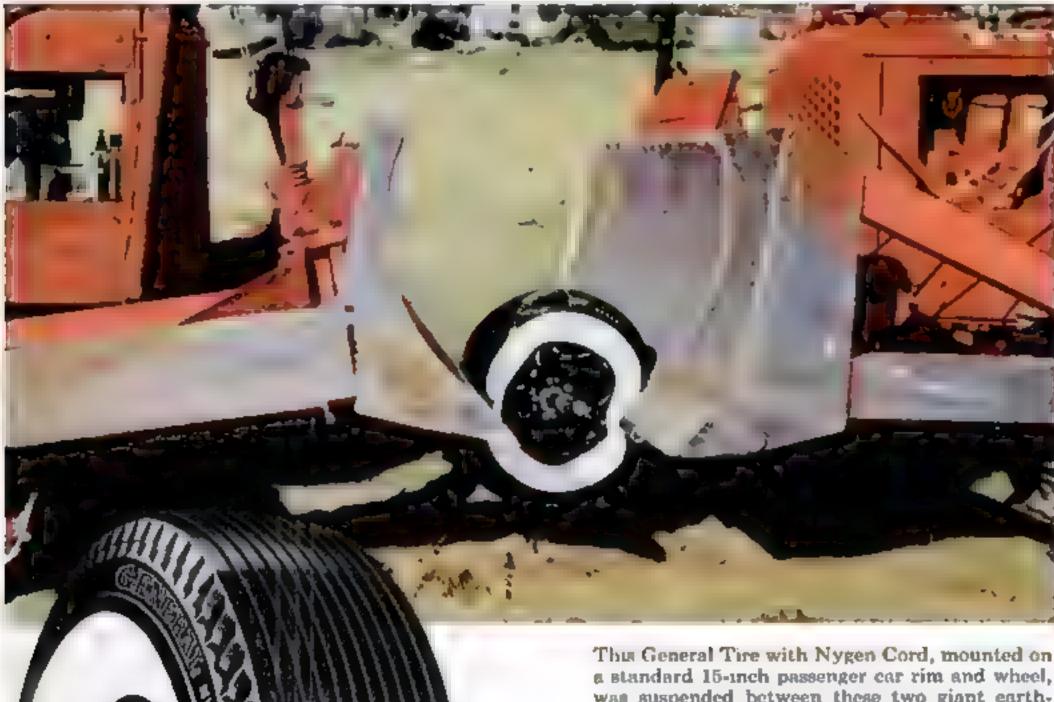






STEALING A CAR for his getaway from the police Danny Kave gets sill-tracked into posing as salesman. He demonstrates trick raising seat (above, which surprises him and frightens customer, who gets out as Kave gets car

Greatest proof of a tire's ability to take repeated torture



Thu General Tire with Nygen Cord, mounted on a standard 15-inch passenger car rim and wheel, was suspended between these two giant earthmoving machines with upraised blades. Simultaneously, the two powerful bulldozers lunged, rammed the blade into the tire, bending the rim

flanges in four places. They backed off, the tire was rotated slightly, and the two machines charged again. This torture test continued until the rim was mangled as pictured above. At the conclusion of this repeated test of tire strength, the General Tire was still fully inflated and unharmed.

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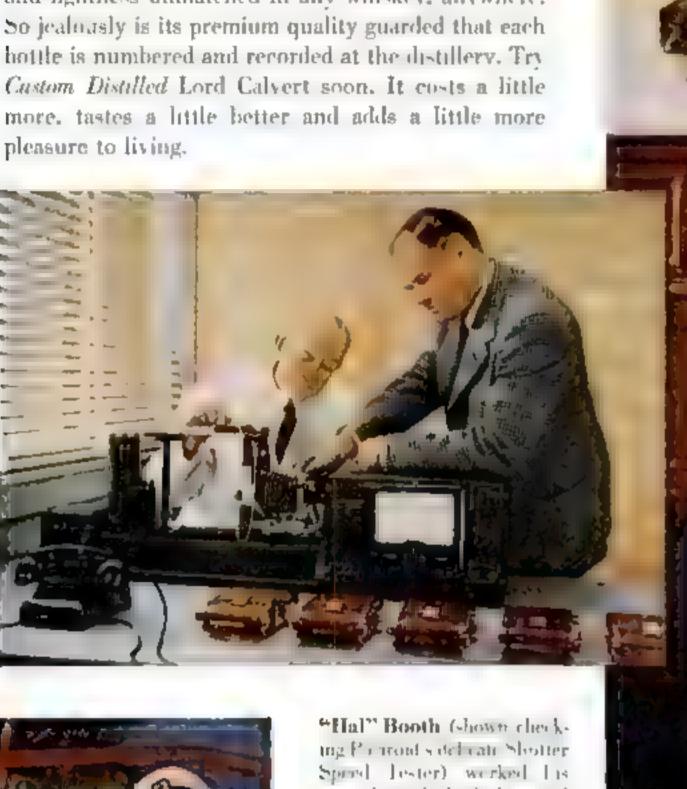
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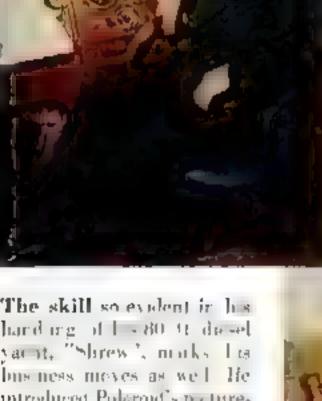
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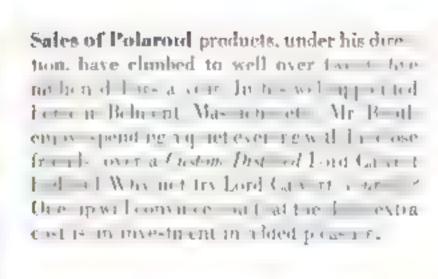
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The hottest love affair in American sports was in full and early bloom. The baseball fans of Milwaukee last year had celebrated the city's first year in the bigtime by setting a new National League attendance record. Now they just could not wait for the 1954 season to start and bring their beloved Brayes to town. By the ardent impatient hundreds they poured into Bradenton, Fla. to gaze on the Brayes in spring training and urge them on with pre-season rooting. Three hundred arrived in one group in a special train. Children came along, excused from classes on the promise that they would do their work while away from school. At the ball park the fans laid admiring siege to Manager Charlie Grimm to get his

autograph. They filled roll after roll of movie film with poses of their heroes. Even when the Braves played an exhibition in Miami, there was a crowd of Milwaukeeans (above) waiting with a big, encouraging sign.

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PUBLICITY CHIEF Davidson art ry ews Rookie Conley, Singan Jem pels enough with for pennant.



STAR'S BOY, Gregory Spalin, S. wearing uniform just like his father's, follows Warren to clubhouse.



GIVING FANS AN EYEFUL, Bollin Thomson, who came to Braves from the New York Giants.

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few days later, sliding into second, he fractured his right ankle and will miss first weeks of the season.



POUTING WATCHER, Braves Ticket Salesman Charles Fichtner, grimaces studying fielders in drill.

THE TEAM THEY SAW IS A TEAM TO WATCH

Young fans and old friends proudly watching the Braves in action saw a team that appears strong enough to keep all boosters in full voice all season. Eddie Mathews, 22, the National League's home-run leader (47 in 1953) was swinging mightily. Warren Spahn, star of a fine pitching staff, seemed to be in top form. Outfielder Bobby Thomson would bring new power when he recovered from his injury. The public relations director kept the fans back home informed, making tape recordings and sending them to every radio station in Wisconsin.

Manager Charlie Grimm, whose team finished in second place in 1953, likes his 1954 setup. "I've got a better first team and I've got a better bench. I've got an outfield that can go any place on any field and cutch any ball." But he refuses to claim the pennant. "I'm optimistic," is all he would say, "very optimistic."



GOGGLED EXPERT, Loren Berge, 9, wears the flannel uniform which Braves' management sells.



PLEASED WATCHER, Milwaukee Banker R. J. Pittelkow, bought seats for all Braves' home games.



BACKSLAPPER, Ray Harrison, Janesville, Wis., pounds old friend Charlie Grimm on the shoulder.



TOOTHLESS ADMIRER of Eddie Mathews, Pat Byrum, 7, chings to rail for close look at her favorite.



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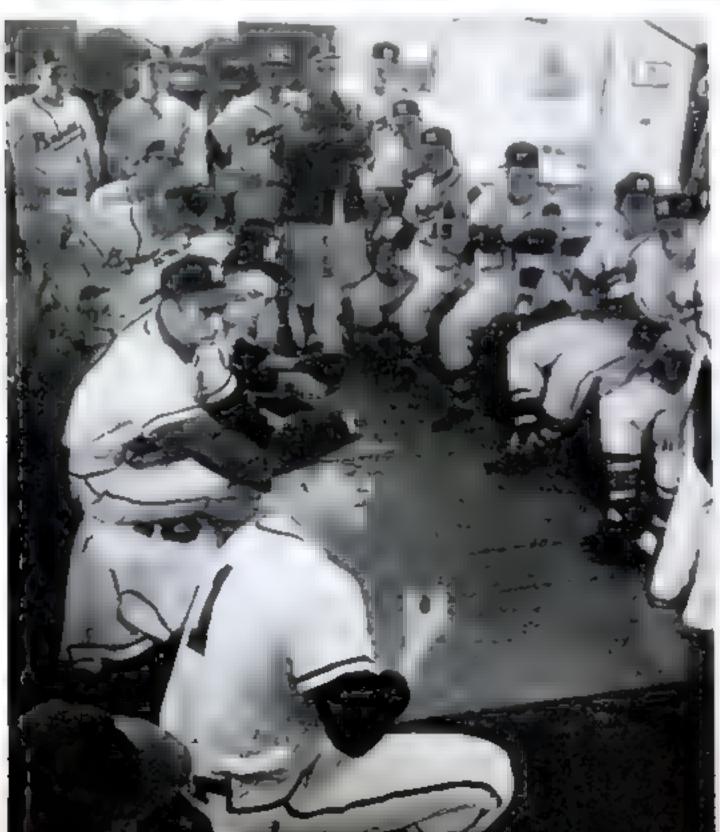
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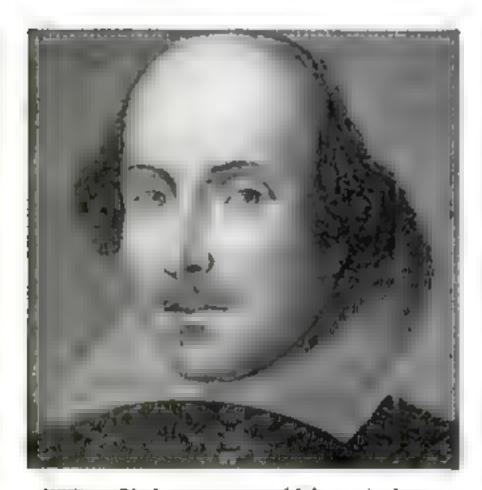
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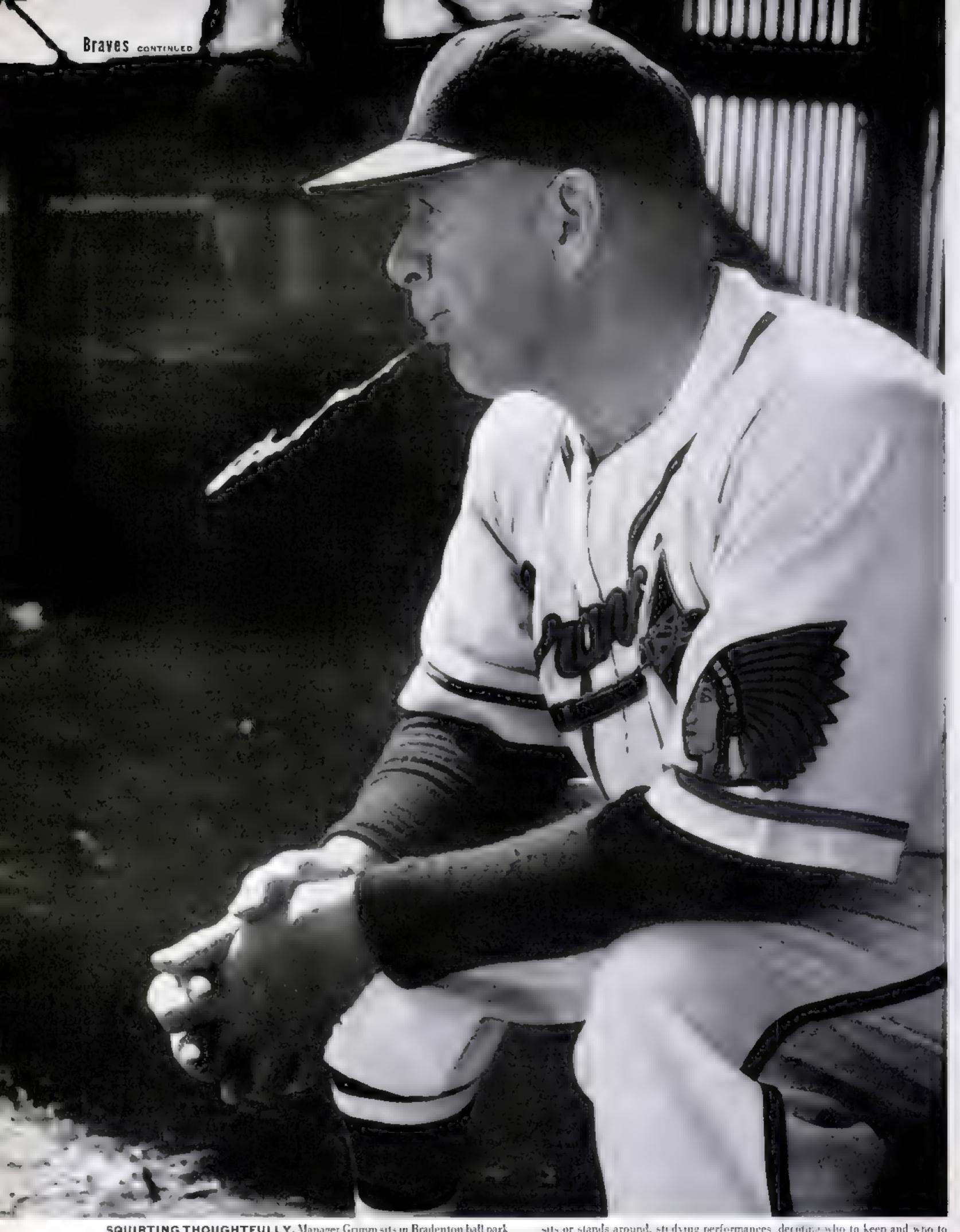


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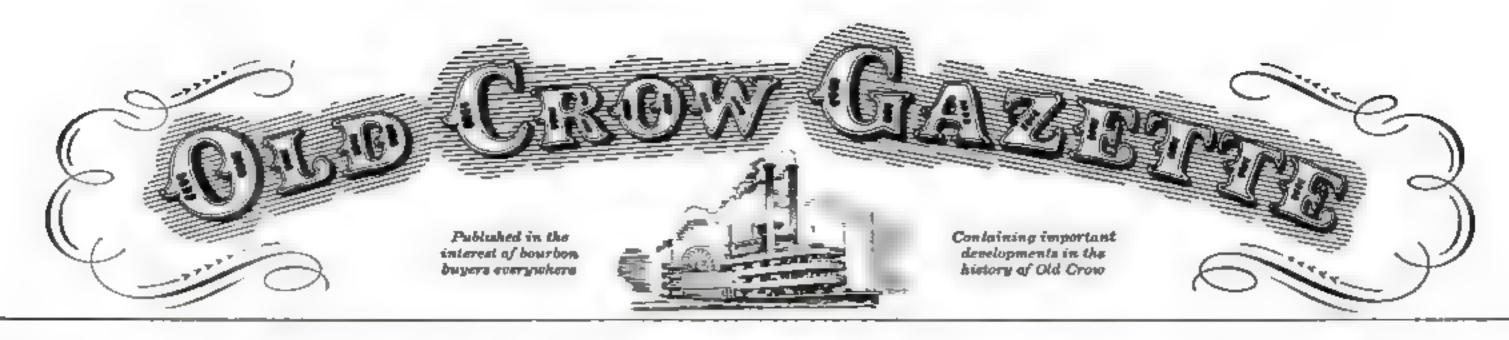
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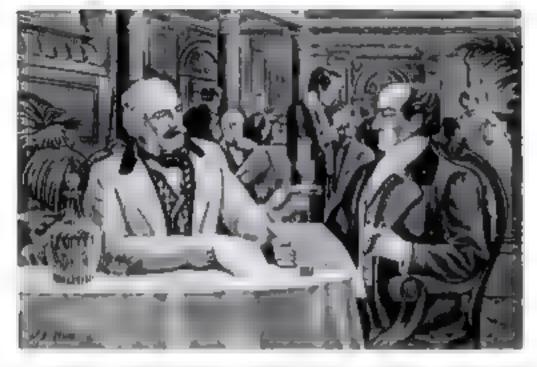


SQUIRTING THOUGHTFULLY, Manager Grimm sits in Bradenton ball park el ewing tobacco, watching activity on ball field with a sharp eye. Grimm mostly

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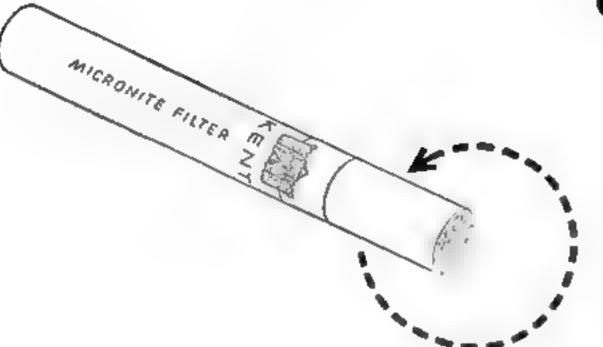
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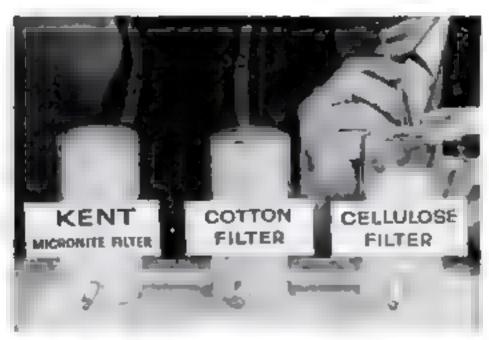
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THE PRESIDENT'S RELIGIOUS FAITH

It is a simple belief in 'moral and spiritual values, honesty, decency and fairness.' An eminent Protestant theologian asks: are there any better guideposts for today?

by Paul Hutchinson

OD, says the unwritten glossary of American politics, is a word in the last paragraph of a political speech. But Dwight D. Eisenhower made it the first official word he spoke as President of the United States. The innovation caught by surprise those who had just watched him take his oath of office. As the new President lifted his hand from the two Bibles on which he had sworn and turned to face the crowd around the inaugural stand, instead of the expected policy speech he began to lead the nation in prayer: "Almighty God..."

Uttered by some men, a prayer inserted at that moment would have sounded like a calculated play to the churchgoing galleries. This prayer did not. It was too direct, too faulty in diction (ritualists could grimace at "Thou will") to be anything but what it was, the intuitive expression of a humble man who, in assuming tasks new to his experi-

ence, acknowledged his need for divine aid.

What does religion mean to President Eisenhower? A reporter who interviewed him shortly before he became president of Columbia University quoted him as saying, "I am the most intensely religious man I know," What did he mean? He attends church more frequently than most of his predecessors. He goes to prayer-meeting breakfasts. His cabinet sessions begin with prayer. He is never too busy to receive church delegations, and several of his most important speeches have been delivered at church gatherings. Are these things the reflection of an intensely religious man? Or do they bespeak no more than an

appreciation of the importance of the church vote?

Cynics will prefer the latter interpretation. Why is it, they will ask, that the President's emphasis on religion was so inconspicuous before the presidential bug bit? No one noticed any particular religious concern in Dwight D. Eisenhower from his days as a West Point cadet to the time he became a five-star general. As soon as the presidency became a possibility, however, his speeches began to be sprinkled with references to the "moral and spiritual" underpinnings of the republic. One of his first acts just before entering the White House was to join a church. What is this, his countrymen familiar with the ways of politics may ask, but another politician's resort to the religious racket?

An attempt to assess the President's religion may seem an invasion not merely of privacy, but of the deepest privacy which every sensitive man wants to hide from vulgar curiosity. But President Eisenhower has hammered so hard on the importance of religion that there is a legitimate public interest. When he employs the vocabulary of religion, is that something adopted for policy's sake or an honest expression of his most deeply held beliefs? And what are

those beliefs?

To understand this President who insists that for his nation faith in God "is our surest strength, our greatest resource," one must start where he started—among the River Brethren in Abilene, Kan. The story of his family background has been told before, but it cannot be left out here. His career has brought him familiarity with courts and rulers and the ways of the world's mighty. Yet again and again, as he wrestles with the requirements of the presidency, Abilene shows through. Its mark is plain on him. Most of the time it helps to steady his thinking and give his leadership confident direction. Occasionally it betrays him into a belief that some problems are simpler than they are and their solutions more quickly to be found.

President Eisenhower's grandfather, Jacob F. Eisenhower, a minister of the Brethren in Christ Church, late in the 1870s was a leader in a mass migration of that faith from rich farmlands in Pennsylvania to the newly surveyed wheat farms of central Kansas. Abilene, where the migrants debarked, was the northern end of the Chisholm Trail over which great herds of longhorns came to this Kansas railhead.

The Brethren in Christ are one of the almost innumerable bodies which stem from the Anabaptist movements of the Reformation period. Whether they should be reckoned with the Mennonite or the Dunkard branches of that movement is a question on which they themselves are divided. Having felt the heavy hand of Lutheran and Calvinist persecution, the Anabaptists, after scurrying from one delusive refuge to another in Germany, Switzerland and Holland, finally sought the sanctuary William Penn had opened for dissenters in the North American colonies. The first Eisenhower arrived from Holland in Philadelphia in 1741 and gravitated into the Mennonite farming colony which was developing along the Susquehanna River.

The first congregation of the Brethren in Christ was formed during the Revolutionary War. It met in a Lancaster County farmhouse on the banks of the Susquehanna, and so its adherents came to be known as River Brethren. That name sufficed until the mid-19th Century; even today one seldom hears the body referred to by its legal title. What caused this little band to split off from their Mennonite brethren is pretty well lost in the unkept records of the 18th Century congregations. Splits have been so numerous among the Mennonites and Dunkards that few show any curiosity about their origins.

In the main, an outsider today observes no perceptible difference between the River Brethren and the stricter sects of Mennonites and Dunkards. All belong in the company of "the plain people" who, by simplicity of dress as well as rigidity of conduct, seek to show their "separation from the world." The River Brethren no longer place the emphasis on details of clothing they once did, though many of the little bonnets, the modern adaptation of the original Mennonite women's "prayer veiling," can still be seen on the streets of Abilene.

Rituals of the River Brethren

MONG the rituals the River Brethren practice in common with Mennonite and Dunkard bodies are foot washing, the "holy kiss," a communal version of the Lord's Supper, and a "dedication of infants" akin to baptism. Strict Sabbath observance is enjoined. Marriage is indissoluble except by death. No member in good standing may raise or use tobacco. Neither may members join secret societies; until 1927 they were prohibited from taking out insurance. The River Brethren tithe. Their congregations are conducted at a minimum of cost, for their clergy engage in secular occupations to support themselves. But their strict application of the rule that a tenth of all income must be given to the Lord makes it possible for this tiny denomination, with less than 8,000 members scattered on farms and in small towns in widely separated parts of the U.S. and Canada, to support five missions in Africa, four in India and 35 in underchurched communities in this country.

There is still another tenet the River Brethren hold with tenacity. They are pacifists. In personal conduct they hold that the Sermon on the Mount enjoins complete nonresistance on Christians. So far, in fact, do they believe the activities and policies of states diverge from the Christian norm, that only of late years have they consented that their members should vote. Some Mennonite circles still debate whether their members can conscientiously hold public office. In time of war, or whenever the state imposes a draft, their young men

are expected to apply for conscientious objector status.

This is the Mennonite and River Brethren teaching. Statistics from World War II indicate, however, that the pacifism of the



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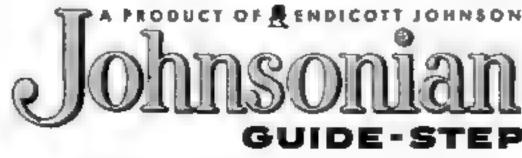
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THE PRESIDENT'S RELIGION CONTINUED

"peace churches"—and the Quakers—no longer influences many of their young men. It is interesting to discover how many of the Eisenhower relatives in Pennsylvania Dutch country went off to the Revolutionary and Civil Wars. The President had a great-

grandfather who served in the Union cavalry.

To assess the President's religion, one must bear in mind this pictistic background. Also, one needs a good deal of Eisenhower family background. So we turn again to Jacob Eisenhower. Jacob must not be thought of as an impoverished farmer looking for better land or as a religious enthusiast hunting for some untarnished spot in which to build utopia. He was a solid, prosperous, God-fearing man. He lived in the biggest house in Elizabethville—built big so that the lower floor could be used for church services—and sold out at a price which enabled him to buy a wide spread of farms around the little town of Hope, near Abilene, for which he paid \$1,200 a quarter-section. The Elizabethville migrants, according to a newspaper estimate at the time, took west 15 freight carloads of household goods and at least \$500,000 in cash.

President Essenhower has said that he can sympathize with the difficulties of farmers because his own family lost its wealth to Kansas drought and grasshoppers. In part, it did. But that was not the whole story. Old Jacob, in the Mennonite tradition, having prospered on the land, intended that his children should live on it. But his son David did not want to be a farmer. All his life—until the old man died—he seems to have had to fight for the right



DR. HUTCHINSON

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An ordained Methodist minister, Dr. Paul Hutchinson is editor of the nonsectarian Century, the nation's leading Protestant magazine. Dr. Hutchinson's study of the President's religious beliefs, a long-term project that has taken him from Washington to Abilene, will appear in the Christian Century's issue of March 24,

to order his own life. After a year at college, ended by his marriage, he formed a partnership with another man and opened a store in Hope. It was about as much bank as general store. There are divergent accounts of what happened, but in any event the

The son who had balked at farming had now lost everything. Hints may be heard around Abilene, where the River Brethren who remember the pioneer Eisenhowers are not given to gossip, that the stern old preacher-farmer never forgot it. In any case, David Eisenhower and his wife and his two small boys moved from the ruin of their prospects at Hope to Denison, Texas. There the father found work in the "Katy" railroad roundhouse. He always liked to be around machinery; the diploma he later won from the International Correspondence Schools as a "stationary engineer" still hangs on the wall in the Abilene home.

The little family stayed in Denison just about long enough for a third son—originally David Dwight—to make his appearance. Before this infant was a year old the family was back in Kansas. Hard pressed by the needs of his rapidly increasing tribe, the father seems to have been glad to exchange the precarious independence of Texas for the inconspicuous security of a job in a

creamery in Abilene owned by the River Brethren.

A sentimentalized picture of the President's mother has been drawn by writers who saw her only when she was past 80, after her son had won fame. In it she sits quietly, a sort of prairie version of Whistler's mother, frail, white-haired-and-capped, benign and passive. It is a caricature. Ida Stover Eisenhower was a compact, wiry, indefatigable bundle of nervous energy with a will of iron. The term William Allen White applied to his Kansas mother fitted her equally well: she was "a captain."

"Father was the disciplinarian," one of the sons said to me, "but otherwise he was a quiet, gentle man who avoided conflicts and would subordinate his views rather than become involved in argument. Mother was the determined one." There are old ladies in Abilene who use even more rugged adjectives when they recall her.



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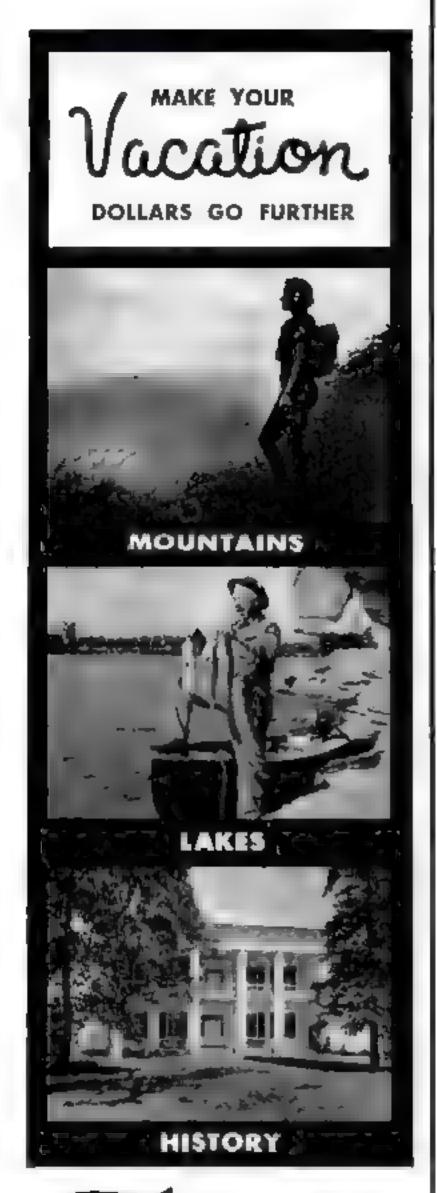


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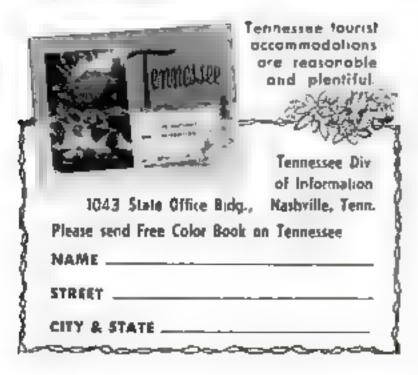


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The President's mother grew up in the Shenandoah Valley and showed a deep interest in religion from her earliest years. The Lutheran Church at Mount Sidney, near Staunton, Va., proudly displays Sunday-school records which state that as a girl she memorized 1,365 Bible verses in six months, a feat that has never been equaled in that congregation. After she had lost her parents and gone to Kansas, where her brother had settled on a farm near Topeka, she found it easy to make the transition to the Bible-quoting community of River Brethren into which her husband introduced her.

The life of the Eisenhowers in Abilene did not differ much from that of most middle-class families in the corn- and wheat-belt states around the turn of the century. Six sons survived childhood; their careers testify to the effectiveness of the parental discipline. "We were very poor," General Eisenhower reminded his Abilene townsmen on the day he launched his campaign for the presidential nomination. Then he hastened to add, "The glory of America is that we didn't know it."

Of course the boys didn't know it. They lived in a comfortable eight-room house, such as are to be seen by thousands on the treeshaded residential streets in every prairie county-seat town. The boys not only mingled in every social and scholastic event the town afforded, but as they grew older three of them-Edgar ("Big Ike"), Dwight ("Little Ike") and Earl ("Red Ike")—became high school athletic heroes.

Religion was the center of Eisenhower family life. It was a Biblically literalistic religion, "All the Eisenhowers," one of the brothers has remarked, "are fundamentalists." This is so in the sense that for them all the Bible was the one authoritative guide, read every morning at family prayers, quoted again and again when family decisions were in the making. Both father and mother could quote the Bible almost from beginning to end. If they had any vanity, it lay in their ability to quote it verbatim. They owned a concordance, but the sons remember that on the rare occasions when reference to it became necessary, both the parents were almost furtive in seeking its aid.

"Their Bibles," the General recalled, "were a live and lusty influence in their lives. There was nothing sad about their religion. They believed in it with a happiness and a contentment that all would be well if a man would take the cards that he had been dealt in this world and play them to the best of his ability." The figure of speech betrayed that the son had been away from home a good many years; but his recollection had not dimmed.

Discipline and revolt

N such a household the world was seen in clear and simple patterns. Sometimes too clear, too simple. It was a place inhabited by good people and bad people, who performed good deeds and bad. There was never any difficulty about distinguishing between the good and the bad-people or deeds. The parents' ambition for their sons was that they should become "good" men. To this end their mother found far more satisfaction in her confidence that they were "dependable" than in any eminence they attained. The family discipline, which involved a steady discharge of chores that

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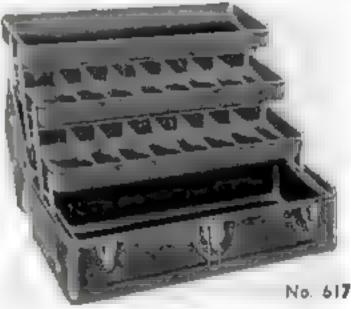


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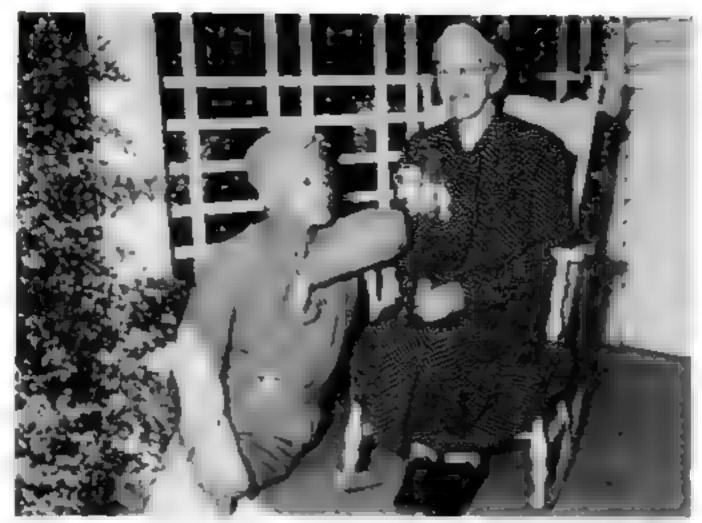
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IFIST AND HER SON have a reunion in 1945. In spite of Ida Eisenhower's hatred of armies, she understood her son's helief in his "crusade."

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began at 5 in the morning for the boy whose turn it was to start the fires, imposed on the sons the personal rules to be expected in such a household—daily attendance at family prayers, regular attendance at the River Brethren Sunday school, no smoking, no drinking, good marks in school, bed by 9.

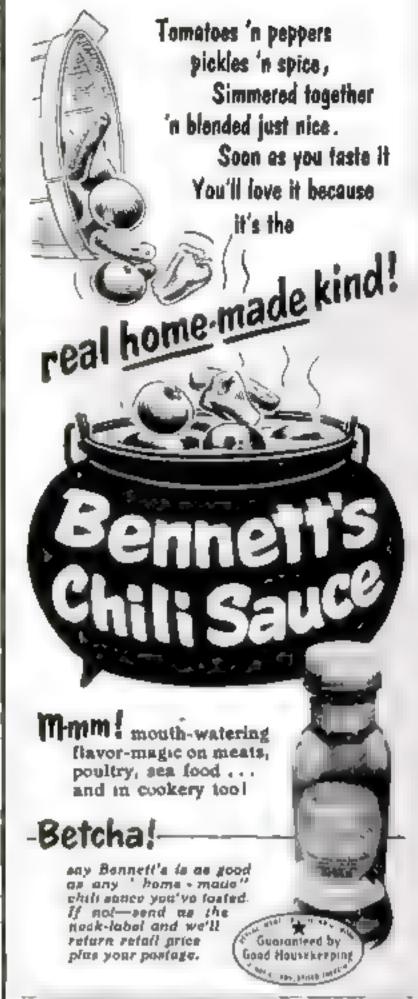
It should not be inferred that the Eisenhower boys conformed without resistance. Their careers show how soon and how largely they freed themselves from the pietistic pattern. Even in his teens, when "Little Ike" was part of the high school athletic crowd, banging out with his cronies in the spots where Abilene's sporting population congregated, there were signs of revolt against the moralistic standards of his home. During school vacations he spelled his father on the night shift at the creamery; some of his old companions recall poker sessions in that safe retreat when the youthful Eisenhower land the foundations for his later repute as one of the Army's most accomplished bridge players.

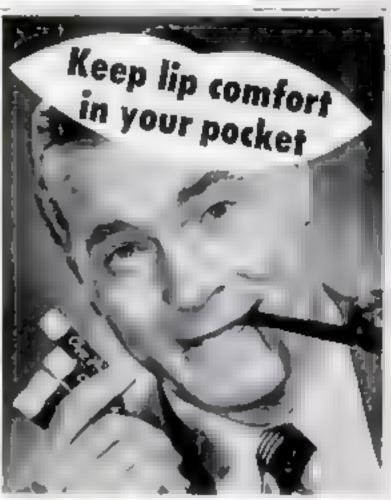
Such was the environment from which Dwight Eisenhower went to West Point. But the very fact that he went to West Point raises an inescapable question in the assessment of his religion. Did that act involve him in a break with his pacifist parents? Was it, both actually and symbolically, a repudiation of the culture out of which he

sprang and in which he had been nurtured? The evidence is conflicting. On the surface there certainly was nothing to suggest any tension between the cadet and the life he left behind. One reason was that his father had been adamant in maintaining that each of his sons should be free to make his own decisions. In that undoubtedly he reflected resentment at the way in which old Jacob had tried to rule him. When his son sought an appointment to the Military Academy, in the father's eyes he had a right to his own choice of profession. The mother, whose pacifist convictions were held more passionately, accepted the father's acceptance. There was no discernible break; the strong bonds of affection between mother and son never weakened. The tribute the soldier-son later paid to "the extraordinary virtues of our parents" came from his heart.

But below the surface was there tension? The mother, whose horror of war dated from her girlhood memories of the Shenandoah Valley ravaged by Phil Sheridan, was too convinced a pacifist ever to have been comfortable at the sight of a son in uniform, no matter how many stars there were on his shoulders. The President's first cousin, the Reverend Roy Ivan Witter, a bishop among the River Brethren who also serves as pastor of the church in Hope where Grandfather Eisenhower preached, tells of an encounter with "Aunt Ida" not long before her death in 1946.

"They tell me how proud I should be of Dwight," he reports the by then "Kansas Mother of the Year" as saying. "They don't know that after they have left, I go away and cry." The bishop beheves there were times when, in conversation with her son, she was bluntly critical of his career. If so, it was between herself and Dwight. Other members of the family never heard her reproach him. But in Abilene those who knew her are sure that she never abated her belief that wars are sinful and those who fight them are in what she called "the devil's business." All that is certainly known is that, regarding war and a military career, the mother





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believed one thing and the son another. Yet neither wavered in affection for the other.

There can be no doubt, however, that the President's mother became more deeply committed to her pacifism as she grew older. The evidence is to be seen in her withdrawal from the River Brethren to become a Jehovah's Witness. This development was something concerning which her sons do not like to talk much. They tend to attribute it to advancing years (though she was only 38) and to the influence of a woman companion who was a personification of Witness missionary zeal. Whatever the causes—and they may have been no more than the vulnerability to Witnesses' doctrine of a biblical literalist—this woman of iron determination

cast her lot with a millennial sect.

Whether the President's father ever joined the Witnesses is disputed. River Brethren—the President's bishop cousin among them—say that he did but that before his death he returned to their fold. The sons deny that he went beyond satisfying his wife by accompanying her to Witness meetings. When he died, shortly after Pearl Harbor while his third son was so new to his Pentagon post as chief of war plans that he could not leave Washington, his funeral services were read by a Witness. If there was incongruity, it was no more than marked the mother's funeral four years later, when a chaplain lieutenant colonel officiated (and did it with fine perception), while the pallbearers who bore the unyielding pacifist to her grave wore uniforms and the caps of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

So the son of a community of pacifist dissenters went to that factory of military conformity. West Point. Probably none of his classmates ever sensed an inner tension in him between the tradition in which he had grown up and the career he had chosen. Yet he has himself revealed that it was there, for he was later to acknowledge before a church group that he had been irked by the assumption that his profession was the antithesis of the clerical calling. "I used to uphold with very great vehemence," he said, "the theory that we [soldiers and clergymen] were identical in our purposes." He explained that they had a common "dedication" to "the dignity of man and, therefore . . . the glory of God." Where did he find himself compelled to defend such a thesis? Surely not at the Military Academy or in his later Army associations. It must have been back in Abilene . . . and in his own mind.

Shedding the outer marks

At the Point, Cadet Eisenhower gave no indication of any great interest in matters religious. His attendance at the non-sectarian chapel services was like that of any other Protestant cadet. He is not remembered for having done any of the things by which cadets express their religious loyalties—teaching Sunday-school class, participating in a Bible study group, serving in the Y.M.C.A. cabinet. His conduct record was below average. At graduation he stood 95th in conduct in a class of 164. He was, in brief, a mine-run cadet—somewhat prominent as an athlete, popular for his good fellowship—who rapidly shed the outer marks of his boyhood environment and took on the polished stance the Academy gives the boy it turns into "an officer and a gentleman."

It was not different after he was commissioned. Once in a while he attended church services at the various posts to which he was assigned, but his interest was nominal. Marriage brought no change, though Mrs. Eisenhower had shared in the usual youth activities of the Presbyterian Church in Denver in which she grew up. Sorrow hit the young couple early and hard when their first child, Dwight Doud, died suddenly in infancy. The scars from that wound took a long time to heal, but neither parent seems to have found, or even sought, any particular solace in religion. Through all these years, from 1915 when he left West Point until 1942 when he became commander in North Africa, Dwight D. Eisenhower was to all appearances just an officer making the normal advance through the ranks, thinking little—or at least saying little—about the reasons why he might one day have to order men to sacrifice their lives.

It was high command which forced Eisenhower to face the justifications for his calling. By what right did his country draft men, or even call on them to volunteer, for military service? By what right did he, or any other commander, send them into the perils of battle? In his post of supreme responsibility he found himself under an implacable pressure to answer those questions.

The answer became, and remains, Eisenhower's religion. "I believe," he has said, "that every soldier—every American soldier, at least—who seeks to find within his own soul some reason for being on the battlefield, for enduring the things he has to



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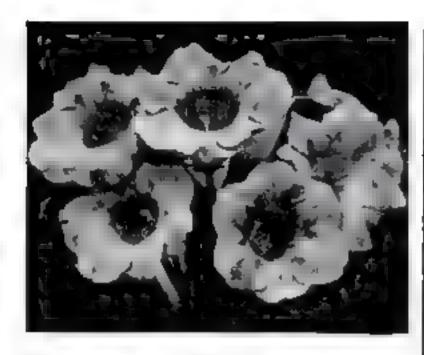
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The war became for Eisenhower what he was later to call it in the title of his book—a crusade. By its end, the pattern in his mind was clear. Men fought for freedom, which was something that their status as children of God made of supreme worth as the badge of their dignity. The Allied nations were fighting for the future of democracy, a political concept which made no sense apart from the reliability of its religious foundations.

To the "whys" raised by the responsibilities of high command, he worked out an answer to which he gave most memorable expression in his Guildhall speech, a month after the German surrender, "... we should turn to those inner things—call them what you will—I mean those intangibles that are the real treasures free men possess. To preserve his freedom of worship, his equality before law, his liberty to speak and act as he sees fit, subject

only to provisions that he trespass not upon similar rights of others—a Londoner will fight. So will a citizen of Abilene." Was there significance in his confidence that this justification for the war would

convince Abilene?

While Eisenhower was in Berlin during the era of good feeling that followed V-E Day, the Russian commander, Marshal Zhukov, asked him to explain the American philosophy of government. Eisenhower began by tracing the development from the Magna Carta, through the American and French Revolutions and the writing of the American Constitution, all defining principles of the dignity of man, the rights of man, individual freedom as the supreme good to be protected by government. Zhukov objected that this was actually an ap-



BISHOP of River Brethren Church is Roy Witter, a first cousin to President.

peal to man's self-interest, and hence to his basest impulses. Eisenhower was about to reply that all these ideas are products of the Judeo-Christian tradition, resting on belief in a God who holds all men of supreme worth. But, he said later, "What was the use of me talking to Zhukov about that? Religion, he had been

taught, was the opiate of the people."

The ideas credited to Eisenhower then are ideas to which he often recurs today. In a luncheon talk last November he said, "The Magna Carta, our Declaration of Independence and the French Declaration of the Rights of Man were certainly nothing less than the attempt on the part of men to state that in their government there would be recognized the principle of the equality of man, the dignity of man. That is a completely false premise unless we recognize the Supreme Being in front of whom we are all equal."

Sometimes this insistence on the religious ground for his political faith carries the President to a point where he nearly identifies democracy and religion. In the Columbia interview in which he called himself "the most intensely religious man I know," he said that "A democracy cannot exist without a religious base," and immediately followed that with the flat credo: "I believe in democracy." Father John Tracy Ellis, a professor at the Catholic University in Washington, called this "a shocking statement," fearing that it would encourage making "a religion of our democracy."

The black and white issues

TY the time he took leave from the Army to become president of Columbia University, Eisenhower's frequent resort to these simplified but basic religious ideas had begun to draw some ridicule. The rarefied intellectual atmosphere of Morningside Heights was hardly the place from which to expect so evangelical and so elementary a political theory. Yet the man's views began to register, even in hard-boiled Manhattan.

His campaign for the presidency stressed the same themes. "I am engaged in a crusade . . . to substitute good government for what we most earnestly believe has been bad government." In the candidate's eyes it was as clear cut as that good against bad, right against wrong, white against black. Frequently when he discussed specific issues, domestic and international, he seemed to do little more than follow a script largely the product of his campaign advisers and ghosts. But when he stressed the nation's deeply felt religious faith"—a phrase that turned up frequently in his speeches his audiences sensed that they were listening to a man who was speaking for himself and out of himself.

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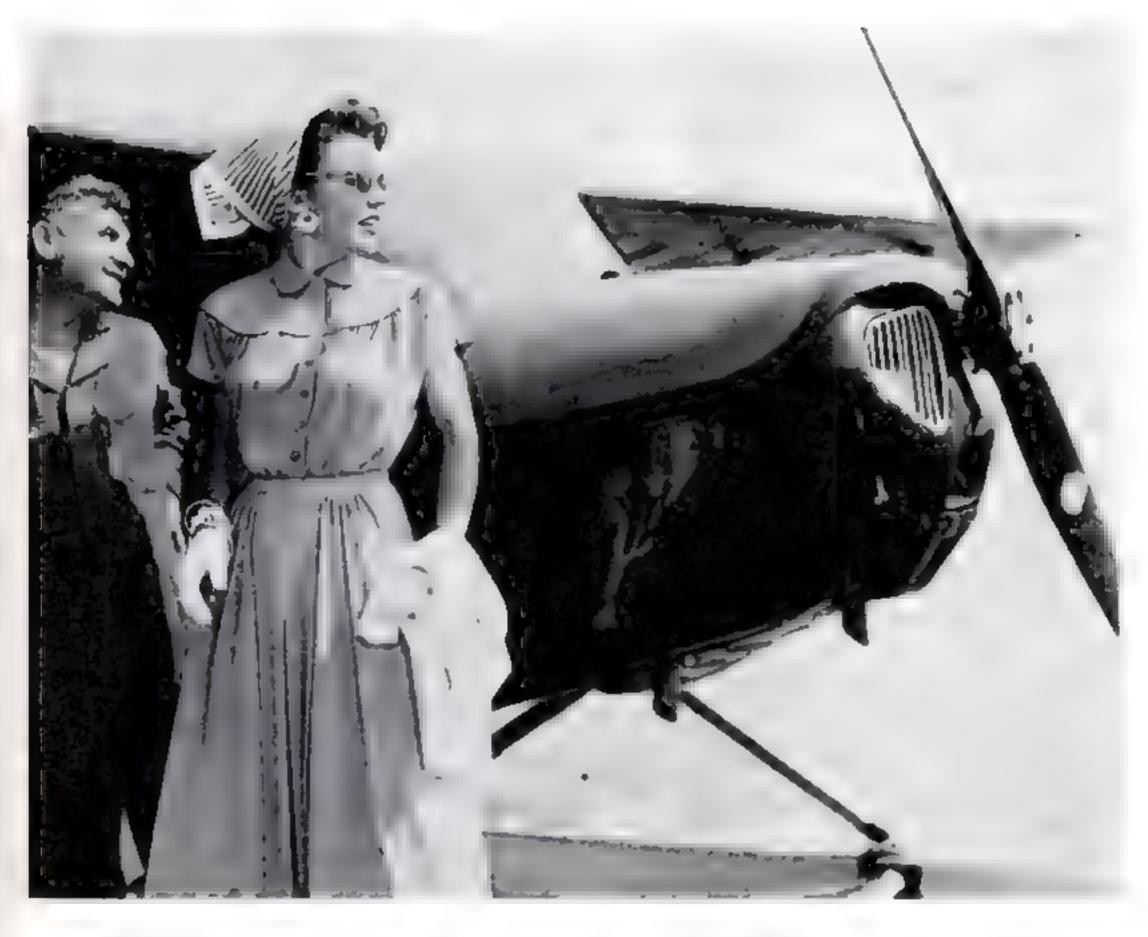
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he was sure needed reviving. When he extolled "honesty, decency, fairness, service—all that sort of thing," some were disturbed at the ease with which he slipped into the "that sort of thing" generality. A Yale theological professor, after the election, criticized his reliance on such generalities. "His campaign," wrote William Lee Miller in The Reporter, "was explicitly shaped to convince the voters of his sincere morality rather than to explain to them a program that might be followed." And the professor added, with considerable justification on the evidence of the speeches, that "President Eisenhower, like many Americans, is a very fervent believer in a very vague religion."

A comment of this sort, it should be noted, reflects American church thought as it is today rather than as it was during the years when the President was growing into maturity. If there was vagueness in the religious concepts of the Eisenhower campaign speeches, the same vagueness haunted much American preaching in the years before the great crash of 1929 and World War II. (The anguish of the past two decades, however, has been injecting into serious Protestant preaching such a solid theological content as has not been encountered there since Jonathan Edwards)

The Eisenhower campaign was in essence a throwback to the political assumptions of an earlier day, to the conception of American history one finds, for example, in the pages of George Bancroft. The ground of all being is God, who has created man to be free and live in unity. God "takes a definite and direct interest" in the welfare of the U.S. because this nation is the strongest power attempting to commend democracy to the world. "Democracy is the only just way of life," but democracy is also an effort to translate religious beliefs about God and the dignity and powers of man into political terms. This attempt will fail unless "moral and spiritual values" are maintained.

In their 20 years in power, Eisenhower said, the Democrats had so seriously undermined these values that all who cared for the future of the republic were summoned to a crusade. The decisive battles of the republic were moral encounters—against a materialistic and godless Communism abroad, against individual corruption and the spread of materialism at home. These battles were also the battles of the Eisenhower crusade. There were hints, in some of the whistle-stop speeches, that the crusade would triumph when bad men in government were replaced by good men, since this would bring good government.

It all sounds pretty unspecific—and it was. But it was Abilene speaking to 10,000 other Abilenes, in the accents of a man who felt so deeply the grip of what he was saying that his sincerity registered even with those who expected to vote against him. The world had become too complex and threatening for millions of Americans to know how to relate their votes to matters of high

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The President joins a church

policy. But one thing they could do: they could vote for moral

○ INCE he entered the White House the President has increased. his insistence on the nation's need to give priority to what he called in his recent State of the Union message "the kingdom of the spirit." He led most of his official family to religious services on the morning before the opening of the new session of Congress. One of his first acts as President was to join a church. His choice among the Protestant communions seems to have been influenced largely by the fact that Mrs. Eisenhower is a Presbyterian; one doubts that he has ever read through the Westminster Confession or would be prepared to defend some of its more Calvinistic articles. He has little patience for the divisions between churches; one of his most frequent emphases, when talking to churchmen, is their essential unity of purpose and the consequent desirability of toning down their differences. It probably surprised him when, after he had praised the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U.S. for its leadership in promoting Protestant cooperation, the fundamentalist American Council of Christian Churches promptly blasted him. The Council charged that he was playing into the hands of the "modernists," and this accusation, leveled against him by a splinter group with a highly developed aptitude for grabbing newspaper space, taught him one of his earliest and most cautionary lessons about the manipulations among church organizations and church leaders.

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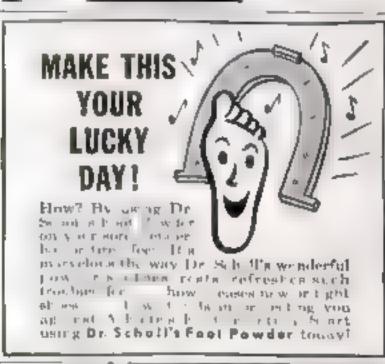
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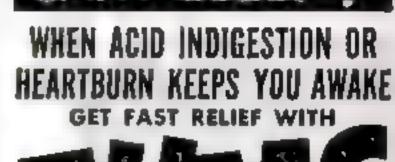
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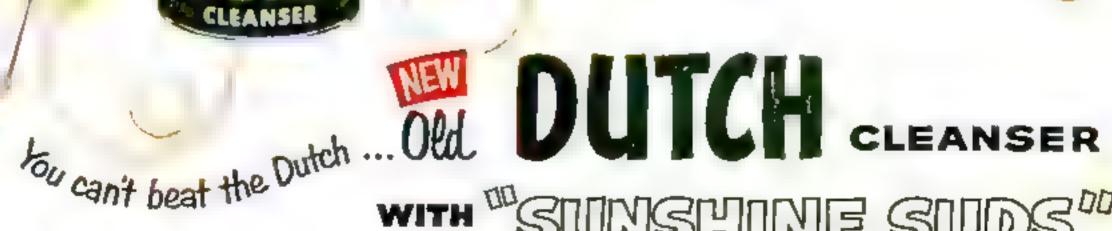


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(LICIOUS CROWDS usually show up when President goes to church away from Washington, as they do here on recent vacation in Palm Springs, Calif.

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so before the election. He indignantly refused. When at last he did join, he was annoyed for a time by the attendant publicity.

He has worshiped in many churches, as well as in the National Presbyterian Church of Washington in which his membership is registered. He has not missed church more than half a dozen Sundays since inauguration. The Eisenhowers usually go to church wherever Sunday finds them. They have attended a number of Presbyterian churches, Methodist and Roman Catholic churches in Washington, the famous old Christ Episcopal Church in Alexandria, nonsectarian services in college chapels or at Army and Navy posts all across the U.S. The circus atmosphere which surrounded the President's first attendances at worship in his home church has considerably abated. To be sure, security precautions require that Secret Service agents thoroughly check the sanctuary before the service, that a hall dozen of them be scattered among the congregation throughout the service, with two or three more outside and that another sit in the pew directly behind the President. More and more, however, the Eisenhowers fit into the services about like other members of the National Presbyterian Church. It is only when they go to church at some vacation spot, as on their recent visit to Palm Springs, that the circus features return.

Normally the Eisenhower party reaches church only a few moments before the service is to begin. Usually the head usher escorts them to the space reserved, which may be an entire pew if the presidential party is large but is more likely to be just the two seats needed by the President and his wife. The Eisenhowers like to sit about a dozen pews from the front. The President joins heartily in singing the hymns he knows—and he knows most of them—and in the unison prayers. He follows sermons closely; the ministers rarely say anything in their sermons which seems to be specially aimed at him, though when he worships away from home there is usually a word of welcome to the distinguished guest.

At the close of the service the congregation remains seated while the officiating minister accompanies the President and Mrs. Eisenhower to the door. President and pastor shake hands; the President frequently makes some comment on the sermon; there is a presidential smile for such onlookers as are herded on the opposite curb; then as rapidly as possible the presidential party enters the waiting limousine and drives away.

The improving moral tone

ASHINGTON church leaders see no signs of a religious reformation sweeping over the capital. But they report increased attendance at Senate, House and governmental department prayer groups, though some whom Quakers would call "weighty" ministers admit misgivings regarding the content of the religion fostered by these groups. They seem, the complaint goes, to enjoy listening to lay speakers who easily equate piety with personal prosperity.

On the whole, however, the moral tone of the capital is probably as good as it has been since the simpler days which ended so abruptly in 1917. One of the prime indications that Washington's

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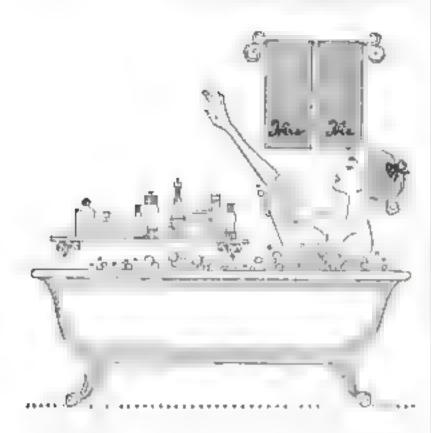
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morality is improving is its progress toward the elimination of racial segregation. On that, Washingtonians who are fighting for equal rights for all citizens declare they owe much to the forthright support they have received from the White House.

When the President's religion is discussed with those close to him, it is surprising how they echo one another. Usually they start by testifying to his sincerity. Among those who have personal contact with him, his political opponents as well as his supporters, I have not found a single dissenter on that score. Then they speak of the directness and simplicity of his faith. "Religion to him is a matter of a very simple approach to his Creator"—so says one Washington church leader who has many opportunities to form a judgment. Finally, observers of the President say he believes that just as divine guidance is available to the individual who seeks it, so divine approval and aid are available to the nation which exalts "moral and spiritual values."

What are these values? They are the ones in the old copybooks. Dorothy Canfield Fisher, in Vermont Tradition, lists as that tradition's principal ingredients individual freedom, personal independence, human dignity, community responsibility, social and political democracy, sincerity, restraint in outward conduct, industry and thrift. The President, I am sure, would endorse these as the virtues on which to stake the future of all America, though sometimes he speaks as though faith in their potency is beyond the capacity of the sophisticated: "Faith is evidently too simple a thing for some to recognize its permanent worth." But faith—faith in the reality of God, in man's potencies, in democracy as a (or should it be "the"?) God-approved method of government, in the competence of moral and spiritual forces to make democracy work

-faith is his prescription for the national ills of these times.

Does the President ever question whether his administration is quite such a demonstration of allegiance to moral and spiritual values as his speeches sometimes seem to promise? Who can tell? Experience in the presidency will force on him—if it has not done so already-realization of how wide the gap can be between a President's intentions and the actualities of government. For example, one of the best speeches he has made was the address to the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith in which he claimed as a reason for pride in America the fact that every citizen is protected by the same code of honor as prevailed in the Abilene of Wild Bill Hickok. "In this country, if someone dislikes you or accuses you he must come up in front. He cannot hide behind the shadows, he cannot assassinate you or your character from behind without suffering the penalties an outraged citizenry will inflict." Yet that is what five distinguished retired members of the U.S. diplomatic service have asserted is going on in the State Department.

Abilene shows through

ANY President should be permitted a certain extravagance of language which can be taken more as a goal of aspiration than as a description of reality. That, surely, must be the interpretation when, in discussing the state of the Union, the President says that "Happily, our people, though blessed with more material goods than any people in history, have always reserved their first allegiance to the kingdom of the spirit." Few contemporary historians would subscribe to that as a summary of our record. But if the President's picture here is out of focus for the country as a whole and our record as a whole, it is not out of focus, much, as a picture of his boyhood Abilene.

The President may not himself realize how Abilene shows through in his character and words. It shows through in the simplicity of his religious concepts, and his confidence that "the things that make us proud to be Americans are of the soul and of the spirit."

Abilene shows through when he tells of his preference for informal church services. He stirred up a bit of a tempest in some liturgical teacups when, after attending an army post service conducted by a Southern Baptist chaplain, he unwarily referred to Episcopal services as "too darned dignified." In church services, he added, "I like to be enthusiastic."

He likes to sing hymns, and the churchmen who are trying to persuade Protestant congregations that Bach and Palestrina are superior to Sankey and Rodeheaver probably did not feel that their efforts had been helped when Senator Carlson of Kansas revealed that one of the President's favorite hymns is "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." He likes vigorous preaching as well as singing; he has told visiting clergymen that he wishes some army chaplains were less diffident, more forthright in presenting the claims of their faith.

Just before he left Europe he spoke of himself before a gathering

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Myths have begun to grow around his religious faith. Myths gather about the religious practices of all Presidents. There are numbers of them concerning Lincoln, such as that hardy perennial about a secret, midnight visit to the Brooklyn home of Henry Ward Beecher to seek aid in prayer. On a couple of occasions President Eisenhower has himself referred to the myth about the farmer who discovered Washington on his knees in the snow near Valley Forge. So there are myths about the way in which Eisenhower spent hours on his knees before he gave the final orders for the invasion of Europe. Those closest to him, however, are sure, as one of them put it, that all such tales are "overdramatized."

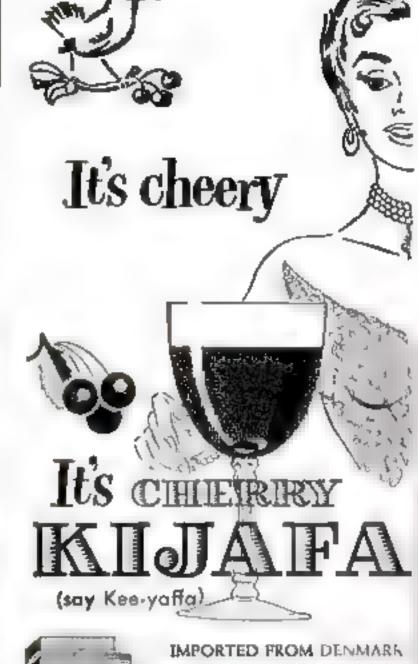
There is a phrase often used in evocation of the religious qualities Americans think proper in their chief executives. Chief Justice Warren employed it recently at a prayer-breakfast attended by President Eisenhower when he besought for him Abraham Lincoln's "simple faith." Lincoln's faith was not simple. It was a faith arrived at through long days and nights of wrestling with the intractible facts which posed the all but insoluble problems of his administration. If the Chief Justice will read again the Second Inaugural he will find in it as sophisticated—and incidentally as Calvinistic—a faith as any political leader ever hammered out on the iron anvil of experience.

The President's faith is, by contrast, a very simple one. Perhaps its simplicity has never been more clearly disclosed than in that speech at his boyhood home: "If each of us in his own mind would dwell more upon these simple virtues-integrity, courage, self-confidence and unshakable belief in the Bible-would not some of these problems [confronting the nation] tend to simplify themselves? Would not we, after having done our very best with them, be content to leave the rest with the Almighty, and not to charge all our fellow men with the fault of bringing us where we were and are? I think it is possible that a contemplation, a study, a belief in these simple virtues would help us mightily."

Some will find in such words nothing but reason for apprehension, for assuredly they hold no key to the nature or solution of many of the ambiguous problems with which today a President of the United States must contend. But as a base from which to project one's course in this time of the shaking of nations, is there a firmer to be found than an unshakable faith that the ultimate forces are the intangibles and that a President's ultimate obligation, as any man's, is to seek if haply he may discover and pursue the purposes of his Maker? That, at any rate, is what the boy was taught among the pietists of Abilene, and that is what the man in the White House believes.



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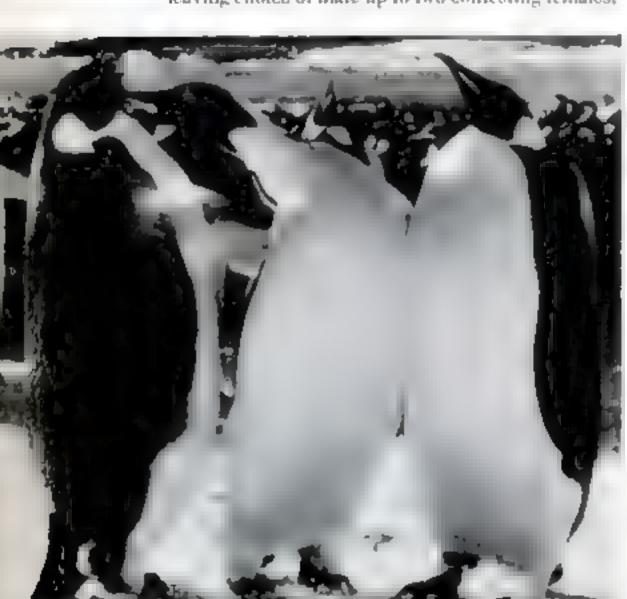
that arouses the mating instinct in emperor penguins. And they continue to do things differently even after mating. It is the male emperor, not the female, who assumes the burden of hatching the egg · (above), standing gnard over it without interruption or nourishment for more than two months.

The unique family life of the emperors (see cover). the biggest and strongest penguins in the world, is shown on these pages in pictures brought back by the third French Polar Expedition after an 11-month encampment on Adélie Land on the Antarctic continent. They reveal heretofore little-known details. as well as some of the absurd antics, of the family once called "nature's gentle satire on humanity."

EMPERORS CONTINUED



ETERNAL TRIANGLE finds a meek male (center) leaving choice of mate up to two contesting females.



OR ARRELING FEMALES slap each other with their flippers in dispute over an aloof male (right).



FCSTATIC COUPLE warble to each other. Female (left) coos and chatters; male sings more softly,



MARCHING INDIAN FILE AFTER EMERGING FROM SEA, PENGLINS BEAD FOR SITE OF THEIR ROOKERY

OUT OF SEA TO COURTSHIP, CARE

The yearly reproductive evels of the emperor penguins begins when they emerge from the sea each March and file across the Antarctic ice (above) to the site of their rookery. Once there, they pair off, sometimes making a match only after outbreaks between females who have their eyes on the same male. During April the couples make love, singing their own particular

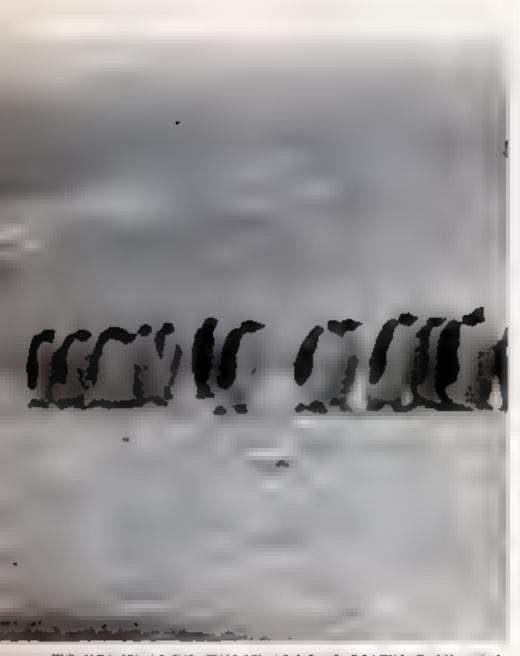
song which enables them ever after to meet and identify each other, even in a rookery filled with 13,000 penguins.

After laying her egg in May, the female takes off to fatten herself on crustaceans and squals from the sea. In July, when the egg is hatching, she comes back to relieve her scrawny mate, down from 75 to 50 pounds. Then, for five



IN A STORM, incubating males stand over eggs and turn backs to snow while their mates are off

fishing. Rookery is often blown by 90-mph winds and chilled by temperatures of 30° below zero F.



TO BEGIN ANEW THEIR ANNUAL MATING SEASON

AND BABY FUZZ

months, the parents take the swatching over their growing voungster until one summer's day in December when they all have the rookery. Thousands of families would coff the nee and head for the open sea, bothous vour the young stay by themselves. But the unanother March, they rejon, the actual in the ceaseless cycle from sea to land and back to sea again.



now 212 months old and covered with gray fuzz



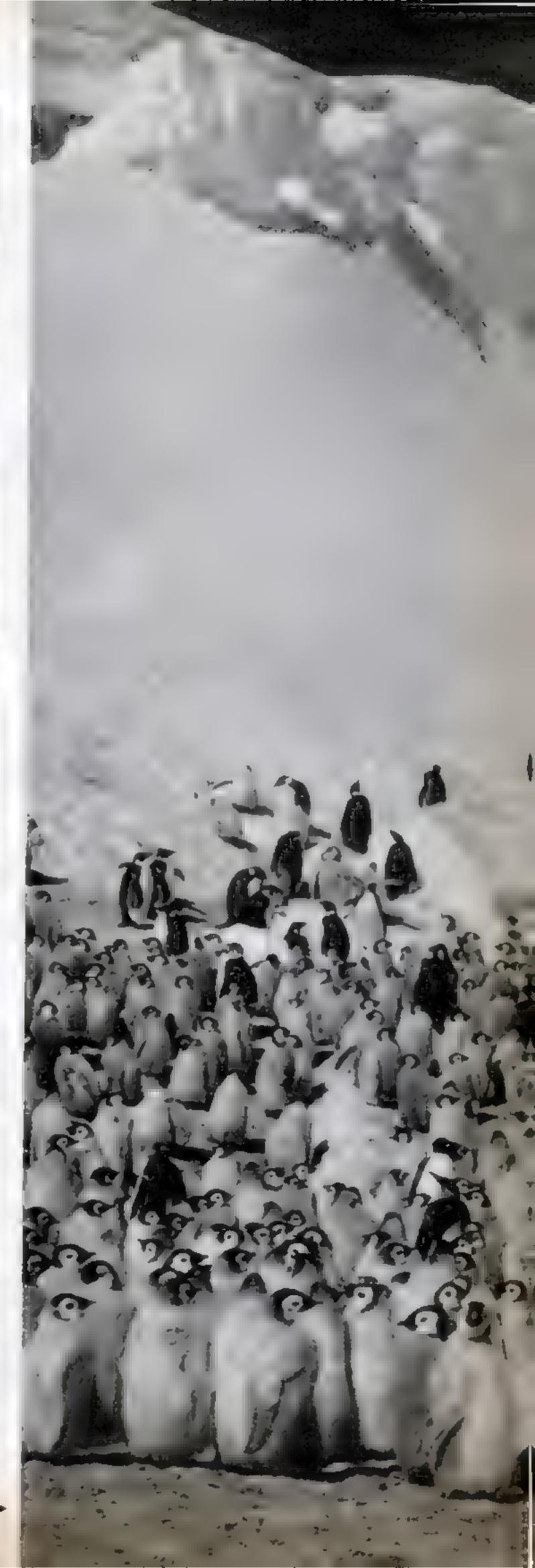
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AN EYE FOR A TOOTH

While passing through the bazaar at Rawalpindi, last stop on his trip from Bombay to Kashmir, India, Photographer Ferenc Berko glimpsed the shop front shown above. Since all perceptive photographers cut their eyeteeth on the unusual, Berko risked missing his bus to rush back for a second look. He discovered the huge red-and-white grins were not gigantic elephant traps but merely papier-mâché blow-ups put there to lure bazaar customers into buying normal-sized dental plates within. Photographer Berko snapped the store teeth, got back to the bus station just by the skin of his own.



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